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On the web

Crowning 'Miss Holocaust Survivor'

Grinning and waving, 14 women who survived the horrors of the Second World War paraded in an unusual pageant on Thursday, vying for the honour of being crowned Israel's first "Miss Holocaust Survivor." Organizers have billed the pageant as a celebration of life, but the event also stirred controversy. Go to metronews.ca to read the full story.

Mobile news



Colin Hart admits the impression his anticheating wedding band leaves on the wearer's finger — "I Am Married' — lasts only about 15 minutes or so. But, he says, bar conversations don't usually last longer than that. Scan the code to find out how he and his wife are putting a twist on traditional wedding rituals.

Bail shocks brother of bombing victim

Limited details.

Publication ban prevents disclosure of circumstances surrounding judge's decision



JEREMY NOLAIS

Family members of a woman killed by an exploding package are struggling to comprehend how the man accused in her death was granted bail.

Vicky Shachtay, a 23-yearold Innisfail mother, was killed last November by a bomb wrapped in a package that was delivered to her home.

Last month, RCMP announced they had charged her financial adviser, 55-year-old Brian Malley, with first-degree murder.

degree murder.

The accused had been assisting Shachtay with investing money she gained in a settlement after being confined to a wheelchair in a 2004 vehicle collision.

Derek Shachtay, the victim's brother, told Metro that RCMP investigators had guaranteed to him that Malley would remain behind bars, but a judge granted him \$10,000 bail during a hearing Thursday

Thursday.

"It's disgusting," Derek
Shachtay said after learning
of the decision. "What's to
stop him from coming after
"Stop him from coming after

After his sister's death, Derek Shachtay described himself as being in a state of paranoia, always looking over his shoulder and fearing for the safety of his two children.

"We were so happy when they told us they had arrested



somebody," he said Thursday.
"And now I find out this? This
is a travesty."

While Derek Shachtay has made a conscious decision to stay away from Malley's trial, members of his family were reportedly in attendance for the bail hearing Thursday.

Legal representation for Malley had not been reached for comment by press time.

Bail conditions

Brian Malley must live in a pre-approved home with a family member in Edmonton, refrain from talking to anyone involved in his upcoming first-degree murder trial and turn over his passport.

 Malley previously worked in law enforcement, serving as a constable with the Edmonton Police Service from 1979 to 1982.

Driver injured

Road rage sparks fight along Gasoline Alley

RCMP say a semi driver was injured Wednesday when witnesses saw a pickup force a semi onto the shoulder along Gasoline Alley before the pickup truck driver got out and started punching the driver's side window of the semi.

He continued to hit the operator before getting back into his truck, speeding through a ditch and fleeing the area. Police suspect the motive of the attack to be road rage.

Mounties are looking for a suspect 25 to 30 years old who may be driving a dark-blue or black Ford Super-Duty extended-cab truck, possibly with damage to the front end.

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Traffic enforcement

Blitz results in more than 1,400 tickets

A citywide traffic blitz focusing on cracking down on Edmonton speeders netted over 1,400 tickets in one day, the EPS reports.

Police say they handed out 1,457 tickets on Tuesday, a slight increase from the 1,328 tickets handed out during a similar blitz in May. Over 600 drivers were

Over 600 drivers were driving 25 km/h over the limit and 115 drivers were going 25 to 49 km/h over the limit.

EPS also dished out 393 other tickets for seat-belt infractions, distracted driving, traffic-safety violations, Criminal Code violations and outstanding warrants. METRO



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> Alberta's impaired-driving law comes into effect July 1. For a video dispelling myths about the new legislation, head to metronews.ca/edmonton

LAURIE CALLSEN



The law is about to get a whole lot tougher or those who climb behind the wheel after having one too many drinks. THE CANADIAN PRESS

The law will be introduced in phases

On July 1, the first phase of Bill 26 — Alberta's new impaired-driving legislation — will come into effect. Going forward, stiffer penalties will be applied to drivers who have a blood-alcohol reading over 0.08 or refuse testing at all. New sanctions will also come into effect for drivers operating under the provincial graduated driver licensing program if they are found to have any alcohol in their system while behind the wheel. On Sept. 1, police will be granted new administrative powers.





The penalties have changed

Alberta motorists who provide a blood-alcohol reading over 0.08 will now be subjected to an immediate driving prohibition that will only be removed once the matter is resolved in court. If convicted, those drivers will be required to install an interlock device that requires a clean breath sample before vehicle ignition. As well, drivers providing a blood-alcohol reading over 0.05 will see their vehicle seized for three days. Penalties for both 0.08 and 0.05 infractions rise with each subsequent conviction.



The legal limit will not be lowered

Police have long had the ability to issue a 24-hour suspension to drivers providing a blood-alcohol reading over 0.05. "It doesn't change the criminal legal limit," said Dan Chivers, Edmonton lawyer at Pringle MacDonald who specializes in impaired-driving cases. "There are now penalties associated with blowing between 0.05 and 0.08. They're not criminal penalties but sanctions. They will seize your vehicle and suspend your driver's licence.

The province will not rake in more money through the new law

Alberta government officials actually believe implementing Bill 26 will cost them money in the short term, but hope the message delivered to impaired drivers through stricter penalties will lead to long-term cost savings in both the provincial health and law-enforcement sectors. "A big part of this is about educating Albertans," said Transportation Minister Ric McIver during a briefing on the new impaired-driving legislation

earlier this month. Alberta government officials opted to focus more on sanctions than monetary penalties.

Transportation Minister Ric McIver addresses the media during the rollout of the new provincial impaired-driving legisla tion. METRO FILE



With store-bought breathalyzers, you get what you pay for

Breathalyzers are available for purchase in some general stores and online. Some bars have also toyed with the idea of installing the devices in their establishments. Chivers said that as blood-alcohol content is constantly changing, breathalyzers must be finely tuned machines





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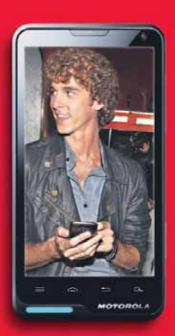


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Permanent potties provide relief on Whyte

Investment.

City opens public washroom on popular party street



MAURICE TOUGAS

Coun. Ben Henderson has seen a lot of grand openings while on council, but Thursday's might have been the oddest.

"I never dreamed I'd be quite so delighted to open a toilet," Henderson chuckled at the official opening of the public washrooms on Whyte Avenue and Gateway Boulevard.

The \$536,000 investment by the city should provide much-needed relief for Old Strathcona revelers and businesses.

"We hope this will equate to a cleaner street," said Old Strathcona Business Association executive director Murray Davison.

Iames Townsend from the Edmonton architectural firm Shelterbelt Architecture said a number of meetings were held between the city, police, park rangers

- Edmonton has 89 public washrooms.
- Old Strathcona has fourmillion visitors a year.
- The district has more than 625 businesses.

and area businesses to discuss the best way to create a safe, 24-7 facility.

"A lot of cities have experiments with little pod toilets, the ones where you walk in and you're locked in. The problem is that there are no windows; once you're in, you're locked in.'

That won't be a problem with the Whyte Avenue facility — they're glasswalled, so police can see in. That idea is one of the principles of Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design, utilized in the pro-

There are three women's stalls, one men's stall, two stainless-steel indoor urinals, diaper-changing stations and two permanent outdoor urinals.



Alberta bottom line improves, but cloudy future ahead

Billions of dollars

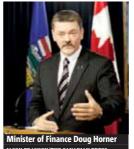
- The province took in \$3.3 billion for the Crown leases - more than double what was expected.
- Despite the much-smaller deficit, the province will still draw \$3-billion from its rainy day Sustainability Fund for cash adjustments.

Figures released Thursday show Alberta came close to balancing its budget last year, but Finance Minister Doug Horner said it isn't smooth sailing for the province given the volatility of the oil market and the global economy.

"We've got some rocky water to go in the next 12 to 18 months," Horner said after filing the final results for the 2011-12 budget year.

The province has been running multibillion-dollar deficits since the global economic meltdown in 2008.

The 2011-12 budget was expected to run a \$3.4-billion



deficit. But that figure ended up being sharply reduced to \$23 million, Horner said.

The change was due in large part to strong oil prices, along with higher fees and leases for private companies to drill for resources on Crown land.

The province originally estimated oil would average \$89 US a barrel for the fiscal year that ended March 31. Instead, it came in at \$97 a barrel.

The province has banked on oil prices of \$99 a barrel in the current fiscal year, and even that would still mean an \$886-million deficit. Oil, however, has been sliding and is now hovering in the \$80-abarrel range

Horner said he's not pan-

icking over the lower price. The government has many strengths, including the country's lowest unemployment rate, five per cent GDP growth and \$7.5 billion in the Sustain-ability Fund, he suggested. NDP Leader Brian Mason

said Premier Alison Redford's government is, once again, more lucky than good.

"I think the government has horseshoes in their pants," said Mason.

"In my view we continue to be too dependent on non-renewable resource revenue for program expenditures.'

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Crime

Alleged Mountie shooter gets bail

A judge has granted bail to a man charged in the attempted murder of two Alberta Mounties.

Sawyer Clarke Robison is to be released from custody Friday.

He was originally de-nied bail in April but

applied to the courts again. Late Wednesday, Court of Queen's Bench Justice Adam Germain in Wetaskiwin approved bail on \$100,000.

Details of the bail hearing cannot be revealed due to a publication ban.

Defence lawyer Brian Beresh said "in these circumstances, granting bail

was appropriate." He said Robison is not a



danger to the community.

"My client is extremely happy and this affords him the opportunity now to prepare his case more easily and to establish his innocence," Beresh said

Thursday. He added that Robison must abide by a long list of bail conditions that include living on a neighbour's farm near Killam. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Two-family Habitat home is a concrete investment

NetZero. Stantec, LaFarge team up for first precast concrete home in Canada



Habitat for Humanity has built thousands of homes, but nothing like the one that is rising up in record

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time in Riverdale.

Habitat for Humanity Edmonton teamed up with construction-materials giant LaFarge and Edmonton-based consulting firm Stantec to develop the first NetZero precast concrete home in Canada. The exterior shell was put together like giant pieces of Lego in a matter of hours on Thursday

Klaas Rodenburg, sustainable-design co-ordinator for Stantec, said the house Greener than ever

"This project will push the limit of sustainable design." Keith Shillington, VP, Stantec

is a prototype, which could be mass-produced for much lower costs. For example, he envisions precasts could be made in Edmonton and shipped to places like Fort McMurray at significant cost and time savings.

The Edmonton home will

be monitored over the next two years by the Concrete Sustainability Hub at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

The two families moving into the Riverdale house will pay an interest-free mortgage to Habitat that

will never be more than 25 per cent of their income. They are also required to invest 500 hours of "sweat equity" into the home.

A NetZero home is designed to be so energy efficient that it can, over time, use no power. It creates power on sunny days and returns it to the grid, and uses minimal amounts during winter days, resulting in zero net-energy use. The home is located at 102nd Avenue and 90th Street.

Fun for kids, big and small

Many ways to celebrate Canada Day in Edmonton

The following is a select list of events going on in Edmonton on Canada Day

- Canada Day Fireworks finale at 11 p.m. Fireworks will be visible from a number of locations in the river valley.
- City hall and plaza, 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Free live music, dancing, crafts, face painting, city hall tours. Canada Day ceremony will take place at noon inside city hall.
- Dominion Day at Fort Edmonton Park, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Regular admission (available online) applies. Watch the parade, music and games and eat free cake.
- The Works Art and Design Festival at city hall, noon to 5 p.m. Free crown-making workshop to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.
- •Mill Woods Celebrates Canada Day, 1 p.m. to 11 p.m. Visit Mill Woods park for free family fun and fireworks at 11 p.m.
- at 11 p.m.
 Silly Summer Parade
 and picnic, noon to 4
 p.m. Watch the parade
 go down Whyte Avenue
 before visiting the Queen
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 picnic in the park with
 carnival games, horse and
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North Korean defector claims she was tricked

True story? Woman calls herself an 'ingrate' for leaving country in rare televised press conference

A North Korean woman said Thursday that she was tricked into defecting six years ago by South Korean agents who offered to arrange a reunion with her father, who went to the South during the Korean War.
The rare public account

that 66-year-old Pak Jong Suk told to local and foreign reporters at a news conference at the People's Palace of Culture in Pyongyang could not be independently confirmed. South Korea's Unification Ministry said it was investigating and would release its findings later.

"I am an ingrate who has betrayed my motherland to seek better living while motherland others devoted themselves to building a thriving nation, tightening their belts," said Pak, clad in a pink traditional Korean dress.

It is unusual for North Korea to hold and televise a

More than 23,000 North Koreans have de fected since the Korean War ended in 1953.

news conference for foreign as well as local media featuring ordinary citizens ticularly a former defector. It was not possible to immediately verify whether Pak spoke on government orders or of her own volition, but North Korea has bristled in recent weeks at allegations of rights abuses and maltreatment of

Pak said she slipped un-detected across the Tumen River from the North Korean city of Chongjin into China in March 2006, after being promised that she would be reunited with her father in the Chinese city of Qingdao. She said she hoped to get money from him. Three months later, after paying smugglers, she said she was tricked by South Korean intelligence agents into boarding a boat that landed in South Korea.

The circumstances of how she returned to the North were not clear. The associated press



Ecological architecture

A man uses the skywalk during a viewing of the Supertrees at Graden by the Bay at Marina Bay Sands on Thursday in Singapore. The structures vary from 25 to 50 metres in height and stand in the financial district. CHRIS MCGRATH/GETTY IMAGES

New evidence. Saturn's largest moon may have ocean beneath surface

Scientists reported Thursday on the strongest sign vet that Saturn's giant moon may have a salty ocean beneath its chilly surface

If confirmed, it would catapult Titan into an elite class of solar-system moons harbouring water, an essential ingredient for life

Titan boasts methane-filled seas at the poles and a possible lake near the equator. And it's long been speculated that Titan contains a hidden liquid layer, based on mathematical modelling and electric-field measurements made by the Huygens spacecraft that landed on the surface in 2005

The latest evidence is still indirect, but outside scientists said it's probably the best that can be obtained short of sending a spacecraft to drill into the surface - which won't happen anytime soon.

"If the analysis is correct, this is a very important finding," said Gabriel Tobie of France's University of Nantes. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Euro 2012

Russian, Spanish associations fined

UEFA fined the Russian and Spanish football associations a total of \$62,000 US on Thursday for racist abuse by their fans at European Championship matches.

UEFA said its disciplinary panel found both countries guilty of "improper conduct of its fans.

Russian fans made monkey noises at Czech Republic defender Theodor Gebre Selassie and Spain fans targeted abuse at Italy forward Mario Balotelli. Both players are black. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Lost and found

Sunken Italian WW2 ship located

The Italian navy says the wreckage of the Second World War battleship Roma, sunk by German planes 69 years ago with the loss of 1,352 lives, has been located north of Sardinia.

The navy says the wreckage was located Thursday some 1,000 metres under the sea by a company using a deep-sea diving robot.

The battleship was lost on Sept 9, 1943, a day after Italy signed an armistice with the Allies THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



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Egypt. New first lady nothing like predecessor

Egypt's new first lady Naglaa Ali Mahmoud and her predecessor Suzanne Mubarak share one thing in common: Both have seen their husbands and sons detained in prison.

detained in prison.

The similarities appear to end there. Suzanne Mubarak was an elegant, sophisticated university graduate with a British mother. She was criticized for being elitist, vain, self-important, overbearing and oblivious to the plight of ordinary Egyptians.

By contrast, Islamist president-elect Mohammed Morsi's wife is a conservative, Muslim who wears a veil and did not attend college. Detractors consider her style to be emblematic of Egypt's steady march toward conservative Islam, while supporters suggest her modest demeanour and background embody the democratic spirit of the revolution.

Mahmoud has reportedly said she would prefer not to live in the Presidential Palace, and the couple has yet to move

Title

"Who said that the president's wife is the first lady, anyways?"

Naglaa Ali Mahmoud

in. She also doesn't want to be called the first lady.

Instead, she prefers to be called Umm Ahmed, which means mother of Ahmed — her eldest son. It's a moniker some secular elites might disdain as patriarchal. Her defenders note that unlike the two first ladies before her, she has not taken on her husband's last name in a sign of self-assertion that falls in line with Islamic tradition throughout Egypt. If she must have a title, she says, she would not mind being called "the first servant" of the people.

Egyptians will be watching to see whether Umm Ahmed meets foreign dignitaries and attends conferences and other events. The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Zimbabwe

'Witches' to be examined

Court officials in Zimbabwe say two self-confessed witches who claim to have flown on a magical grain-threshing basket are to undergo medical and psychiatric examinations. Prosecutors said two women were arrested earlier this month after being found naked in a yard. The women are charged under witchcraft laws carrying the penalty of a fine. In local belief, the basket is equivalent to the West's witch broomstick. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Game goes global

'Communist Monopoly' for sale

A popular Polish board game based on the hardships of communism now has international editions. Poland's National Remembrance Institute released "Kolejka" last year to teach youth about frustrations and shortages during the decades of communism. Though referred to as "Communist Monopoly" the game doesn't let players collect rent or buy land. Instead, they can't buy anything after waiting in long lines. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

U.S. Supreme Court upholds insurance law

Partisan divide.

Obama's health-care changes have been sharply criticized in the run-up to elections

The U.S. Supreme Court on Thursday upheld the heart of President Barack Obama's health-care overhaul, handing him a huge election-year political victory and keeping in force the legislative centrepiece of his term, a law aimed at covering more than 30-million uninsured Americans.

The decision means the his-

The decision means the historic overhaul — opposed by virtually all Republicans including Mitt Romney, Obama's challenger — will continue to go into effect over the next several years, affecting the way that countless Americans receive and pay for their medical care.

The decision, written by conservative Chief Justice John Roberts, sided with Obama on the centrepiece of the law, which requires all Americans to have health insurance or face a federal fine.

"Whatever the politics, today's decision was a victory for people all over this country," Obama said, speaking on national television

tional television.

"It should be pretty clear by now that I didn't do this because it was good politics," he said. "I did it because it was good for the country."

good for the country."

By letting the law stand, the decision keeps the U.S. on a course toward joining all other major developed countries in guaranteeing health



care for all its citizens.

Republicans were quick to respond. Romney said his mission now was to see the overhaul repealed, calling the changes in the system "bad law."

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Republican Party Chairman Reince Priebus added in a statement: "Today's Supreme Court decision sets the stakes for the November election. Now, the only way to save the country from Obamacare's budget-busting government takeover of health care is to elect a new president."

Polls show a majority of Americans do not support the health-care overhaul, which, ironically, was based on a plan put in place in Massachusetts when Romney was governor there. The Massachusetts law has been widely supported by residents since it took effect in 2006. While Romney defends his plan, he has said such changes should be left to states and not be imposed by the federal government. He has promised to revoke the overhaul if he wins the election in November.

The court's liberal justices, Stephen Breyer, Ruth Bader Ginsburg, Elena Kagan and Sonia Sotomayor, joined Roberts in the decision.

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Health insurance 201

- The law would prohibit insurance companies from denying coverage to people with existing health problems.
- It gives subsidies to help uninsured middle-class households pay premiums, and expands federal health care for the poor.
- 26 million may remain without coverage after the law is fully implemented.



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Product recall. Bacteria found in hand sanitizer used in public areas

A hand sanitizer meant to protect people against germs is being recalled because of microbial contamination.

Kimberly-Clark is recalling its Kleenex-brand Luxury Foam Hand Sanitizer after company testing detected bacteria that may pose serious risks to people with weakened immune systems.

Health Canada says people with the lung disorder cystic fibrosis are especially vulnerable.

The affected hand sanitizer comes in one-litre and 1.2-litre containers, and is used in large-volume dispensers, such as those found in public areas and workspaces.

The recall affects about 430

Low risk for healthy

 The bacteria identified in the tested samples are from the burkholderia cepacia group. These bacteria pose little risk to healthy Canadians, as their bodies are able to successfully fight off infections, Health Canada said Thursday.

containers, which were distributed to retail stores and wholesalers across Canada. Companies or individuals should remove the product from use. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Grounded

Flight diverted due to windshield crack

An Air Canada flight travelling from Toronto to London was diverted to Halifax early Thursday because of a crack in the cockpit's windshield.

A spokeswoman for the

Halifax Stanfield International Airport says officials received the call about the diversion around 3 a.m. and Flight 862 landed safely at 5:17 a m

Air Canada regional spokeswoman Isabelle Arthur says no emergency was declared, and the flight proceeded to Halifax without incident THE CANADIAN PRESS

Class-action lawsuit against cellular giants can proceed



Supreme Court.

Judges allow 2004 case against Canada's major wireless carriers after several appeals

The Supreme Court of Canada is allowing a class-action lawsuit against Canadian cellphone companies over system-access fees to proceed.

The suit against some of the country's biggest wireless carriers, including Rogers, Telus and Bell Mobility, was launched in 2004.

The companies appealed the certification of the suit all the way to the Supreme Court, which dismissed the appeal Thursday — paving the

Out of appeals

"We are confident the case is without merit and baseless, at least as it related to Telus."

Telus statement

way for it to proceed.

As is customary, the high court did not provide reasons for its decision.

The suit alleges the cellphone companies wrongfully collected the fees from customers, which were in addition to other monthly fees for phone service.

It calls for the respondents to be reimbursed.

The lawsuit claims that monthly "system-access fees" were created in response to annual fees charged by the government.

However, "these fees amount to less than 20 per cent of the additional charges being charged to their customers under the guise of government taxes," the claim says.

The access-fee charge, typically \$6.95, "bears no relation to any actual cost of providing wireless or cellular services, but was an amount selected ... by the defendants to proliferate the misrepresentation (that) ... charges were being collected as a tax on behalf of a government agency."

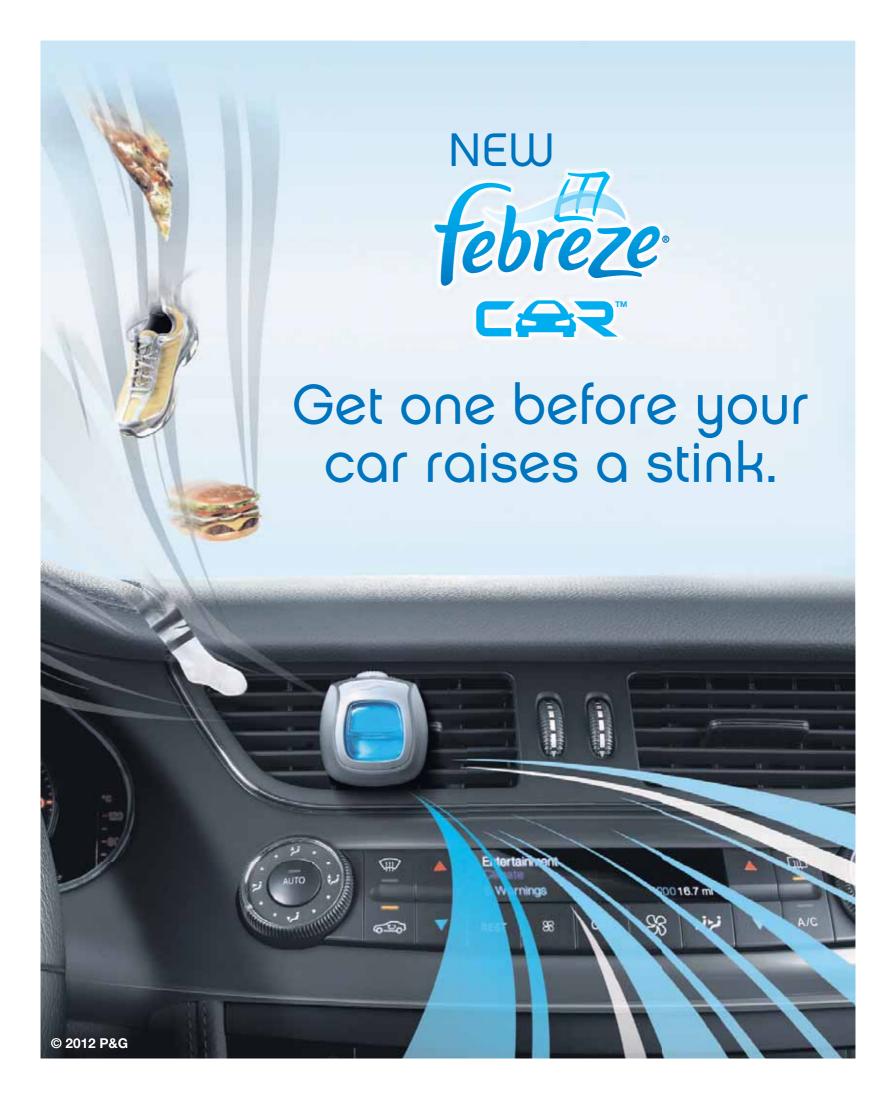
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Screaming pilot pleads not guilty to interfering with JetBlue flight

Mentally competent.

Passengers had to wrestle man to the floor after he yelled about Jesus, al-Qaida

A JetBlue Airways pilot who left the cockpit during a flight and screamed about religion and terrorists has pleaded not guilty to interfering with a flight crew.

Court records show Clayton F. Osbon entered the plea at his Thursday arraignment in federal court in Amarillo, Texas.

U.S. District Judge Mary Lou Robinson ruled earlier



this month that Osbon is mentally competent to stand

No trial date has been set. Osbon faces up to 20 years in prison if convicted.

trial. Her ruling followed a court-ordered psychiatric

Osbon was indicted after a March 27 incident on a flight from Las Vegas to New York.

Passengers say they had to wrestle him to the floor after he left the cockpit mid-flight and ran through the plane's cabin yelling about Jesus and al-Qaida.

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B.C. area braces for rising waters, flooding

Flood waters from the Fraser River surround a farm in Chilliwack, B.C., on Thursday. Fraser Valley residents are bracing for a weekend of rising waters and potential flooding. Jonathan Hayward/The Canadian Press

British ex-minister sold info to communist spies, files say

The British government said Thursday it would investigate claims an ex-minister sold information to communist spies for a decade during the Cold War in clandestine meetings in cocktail lounges and swank restau-

The BBC reported that files in the archive of the Czech Security Service show that Raymond Mawby, an ex-Conservative Party lawmaker who briefly served as a junior minister in the mid-1960s, provided intelligence to spies working for Czecho-

slovakia — then a communist state — for a decade from around 1961 to 1971.

According to the files, Mawby offered information on his colleagues and even provided a sketch of the lavout of the prime minister's office. The associated press



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U.S. to share G20 protests. Agency 'in the dark' about policing data about **Canadians**

Border deal. New privacy charter intended to make border crossing easier without sacrificing mutual security

The United States will be allowed to share information about Canadians with other countries under a sweeping new border deal.

A newly released binational privacy charter says that in most cases it won't have to tell Canada about its plan to pass along the information. Information-sharing about

security cases has sometimes been a sore point between the two countries since the 9-11 terrorist attacks.

Canada and the U.S. jointly released the 12-point statement of privacy principles late Thursday, covering areas in-cluding data quality, information security, effective oversight, and redress for people whose privacy is infringed.

The principles help flesh out a perimeter security deal struck by the two countries last year.

The deal is intended to help smooth the passage of people and cargo over the Canada-U.S. border while bolstering continental security.

The most contentious feature could be the plan to exchange entry information collected from all persons at the border, which would serve as a record of exit from the other country.

The privacy charter's preamble says greater informa-tion sharing between Canada and the U.S. "is vital to protecting the security of our citizens" and that personal

- **Length.** The border is 8,891 km long, including 2,475 km with
- Busy. Canadians made over 48-million trips to the U.S. last year. That number is expected to increase as more duty exemptions come into
- Porous. The 9-11 Commission found that it was easy to enter the U.S. from Canada illegally, and that smuggling is on the increase.

information is to be provided, received and used only in accordance with domestic and international laws applicable to the two countries.

The principles say Canada or the U.S. may transfer information received from the

other to a third country.
For instance, the U.S. could send information received from Canada to an ally abroad. However, the U.S. could do so only if American law allowed it.

In the absence of such "international agreements and arrangements," the U.S. must inform Canada prior to the transfer, or as soon as possible after the transfer in the case of urgent circumstances.

The federal privacy commissioner's office, which was consulted during drafting of the principles, said Thursday it would "take some time to read these in order to see how any suggestions we provided may have been reflected."

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A new report concludes the civilian agency responsible for oversight of Toronto po-lice found itself largely in the dark when it came to policing

at the G20 summit.

The review by retired justice John Morden finds the police-services board didn't ask enough questions of the police chief, wrongly believ-ing it couldn't seek information on operational matters.

Some members of the board blamed Chief Bill Blair for being secretive but the re-

port faults the board for failing to get the information it should have had.

Morden says the board had far too little time - just four months — to prepare for the June 2010 summit, which was marred by vandalism and the arrest of more than 1,100

In effect, the report, which makes 38 recommendations, found the board became "a mere bystander in a process it was supposed to lead.

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Immigration. Application freeze placed on programs

Federal Immigration Minister Jason Kenney is putting the brakes on new applications under two programs popular with people wanting to come to Canada from abroad.

Kenney told a Calgary business audience that the federal government is placing a moratorium on the Federal Skilled Worker Program and the Immigrant Investor Pro-

Both were scheduled to reopen for applications at the end of the month.

He says he hopes the programs will be revamped by the end of the year.

Ottawa has already legislated away a seven-year backlog of people who applied to get into Canada before rules were rejigged.

Kenney had announced plans to overhaul the investor program in the spring and his intention is to consult with stakeholders, the provinces and territories on how best to reform it.

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Raising a rainbow for Pride Week

Nova Scotia Premier Darrell Dexter participates in a flag-raising ceremony in front of Province House in Halifax Thursday, officially launching community Pride events across the province. This year marks the 25th anniversary of Pride Week celebrations in Nova Scotia. And Rew VAUGHAN/THE CANADIAN PRESS



Canadian patriotism turning to swagger: Poll

The results of a new survey challenge the long-held no-tion that Canadians are reluctant to be as outwardly patriotic as their American neighbours.

The Ipsos-Reid online survey of 1,100 people — conducted for the Historica-Dominion Institute in the days leading up to the Canada Day long weekend — suggest the Canadian sense of national pride is becoming an in-yourface swagger.

That is particularly true when it comes to the country's most potent national symbol: The Maple Leaf.

One in five of those surveyed said they would consider getting a tattoo of a Canadian flag somewhere on their body.

But respondents from Saskatchewan and Manitoba seemed the most eager, as well as those under 55.

"We're talking about a country that traditionally was not very extroverted in a way that Americans or Brits are. said Jeremy Diamond, the institute's national director

The survey suggests that when it comes to the Maple Leaf, Canadians consider it their overwhelming choice for a national symbol. Forget the Mounties, bea-

vers and hockey jerseys — these icons each garnered only 10 per cent support when respondents were asked to pick a national symbol.

The polar bear, Inukshuk and canoe were even further behind the Maple Leaf's 59 per cent, as were poutine and Anne of Green Gables at one per cent. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Came to pick vegetables.

Centenarian becomes U.S. citizen at last

A 102-year-old Filipino man who came to the U.S. as a youth in 1928 to pick vege-tables became a citizen during a touching naturalization ceremony in Los Angeles.

"I'm happy," Joaquin Arciago Guzman said in his native Tagalog after Wednesday's ceremony, where about 7,300 joined him in taking the citizenship oath.

Only 27 people older than 100 have become citizens in the past 50 years, according to U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services.

The oldest person ever to become a citizen was Manik Bokchalian. She was 117 when she took the oath in

Guzman left the Philippines to harvest lettuce and cabbage in the fertile fields south of San Francisco.



He returned to the Philippines and married Paz Irene Gatchalian, the came back to

the United States before the

birth of the first of their six

children. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Oldest yet

20,000-year-old pottery found

Pottery fragments found in a south China cave have been confirmed to be 20,000 years old, making them the oldestknown pottery in the world, archaeologists say. The findings, which will appear in the journal Science on Friday, add to recent efforts that have dated pottery piles in east Asia to more than 15,000 years ago, refuting theories that the invention of pottery began about 10,000 years ago when humans moved from being hunter-gathers to farmers. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Brazil

Child-porn group busted: Police

Brazilian police said Thursday they have broken up a ring that used Internet file sharing to distribute child pornography in at least 34 countries

Insp. Diana Calazans Mann told reporters the photo and video files exchanged by members of the group were "very repugnant."

"We were extremely shocked with the images," she added. "I have never seen anything as bad."

Another officer, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said 15 arrest warrants had been issued in Brazil, and that at least 12 people had already been arrested.

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Greek tragedy

Man dies after he falls off Acropolis

Police say a man who fell off Greece's most famous monument, the Acropolis in central Athens, has

Authorities said the circumstances surround-ing the fall Thursday morning were not clear. The 42-year-old Greek bank employee, whose identity has not been made public, had suffered serious head injuries in the fall.

The Acropolis hill and the 2,500-year-old marble temples that stand atop it are the capital city's key tourist attraction.

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Australian decision

Laws to deport refugees tossed

Australian senators rejected laws Thursday that would have let Australia deport asylum seekers as a way of discouraging them from attempting the dangerous boat journeys.

The legislation had scraped through the House of Representatives 74-72 late Wednesday after six hours of debate. But the Senate rejected the bill 39 votes to 29.

Four people are believed to have died and 130 were rescued from a boat that capsized Wednesday, but more than 90 people are believed to have died in a capsizing last week midway between Australia's Christmas Island and Indonesia. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

taken for someone else, died John Demjanjuk. while his conviction was Convicted in Germany

for Nazi atrocities,

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A U.S. appeals court on Thurs-

day rejected a request to re-store the U.S. citizenship of a

recently deceased autoworker

convicted of Nazi war crimes.

The 6th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals ruled that John

Demjanjuk cannot regain his

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still under appeal

Demjanjuk previously was tried, convicted and sentenced to death in Israel as the notoriously brutal guard "Ivan the Terrible" at the Treblinka extermination camp. The Israeli Supreme Court

unanimously overturned that conviction after the Israeli authorities received evidence that another Ukrainian was that Nazi guard.

But the supreme court judges said they still believed Demianiuk had served the Nazis, probably at the Trawniki SS training camp and Sobibor. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Defence says Nazi ID card could be fake

The defence team alleged that a judge violated basic fairness by ruling against John Demjanjuk's citizen-ship appeal without holding a hearing on a 1985 secret FBI report uncovered recently by The Associated Press. The document indicates that the FBI believed a Nazi ID card purportedly showing that Demjanjuk served as a death-camp guard was a Soviet-made fake.

The federal government responded to the 1985 document with an affidavit last year from retired FBI agent Thomas Martin, who investigated.
Martin said the report

he wrote was based on speculation and not on any investigation.

He said he had reached no conclusions about the ID card's authenticity.



Tempers flare at Chilean student protest

Students clash with riot police during a protest to demand that President Sebastian Pinera's government overhaul the education system to guarantee free, quality public education for all Chileans, in front of La Moneda presidential palace in Santiago Thursday. HECTOR RETAMAL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

No U.S. citizenship for war criminal under appeal.





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B612 Foundation advances asteroidseeking telescope

Ideas. Who will protect us from killer space rock? Former astronauts and NASA scientists think it's up to them

In a bold plan unveiled Thursday, a group of former NASA employees wants to launch its own space telescope to spot and track small and mid-sized space rocks capable of wiping out a city or continent. They could sound early warnings if a rogue asteroid appeared headed toward our planet.

So far, the idea from the B612 Foundation — named after the home asteroid of the Earth-visiting prince in Antoine de Saint-Exupery's The Little Prince — is on paper

Such an effort would cost upward of several hundred million dollars.

Asteroids are leftovers from



the formation of the solar system some 4.5-billion years ago. Most reside in the asteroid belt between Mars and Jupiter, but some get nudged into Earth's

neighbourhood. NASA and a network of astronomers routinely scan the skies for these near-Earth

objects. They've found 90 per cent of the biggest threats—asteroids that are considered major killers. Scientists believe one such asteroid wiped out the dinosaurs.

But the group thinks more attention should be paid to the estimated half-a-million smaller asteroids — similar in size to the one that exploded over Siberia in 1908 and levelled more than 2,071 square kilometres of forest.

Since its birth, the foundation has focused on finding ways to deflect an incoming asteroid. Ideas include sending an intercepting spacecraft to aiming a nuclear bomb, but none have been tested. Last year, the group shifted focus to seek out asteroids with a tele-

scope.
"We're not all about doom and gloom," said chairman Ed Lu. "We're about opening up the solar system. We're talking about preserving life on this planet." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



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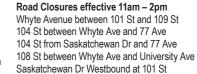
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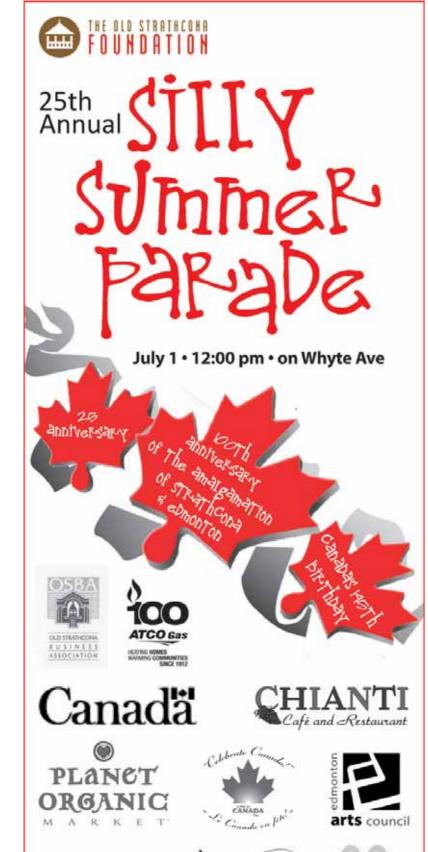
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'Generation rent' choosing urban life

New wave. U.S. city growth surpasses that of suburbia as young adults prefer to rent

For the first time in a century, most of America's largest cities are growing at a faster rate than their surrounding suburbs.

New 2011 census estimates released Thursday highlight the dramatic switch.

Driving the resurgence are young adults, who are delaying careers, marriage and children amid college debt and persistently high unemployment.

While economists tend to believe the city boom is temporary, that is not stopping many city-planning agencies and apartment developers from seeking to boost their appeal to the sizable demographic of 18-to 29-year-olds. They make up roughly one in six Americans, and some sociologists are call-

ing them "generation rent."

"I will never live in the suburbs," said Jaclyn King, 28, who rents a house in Denver. "I just like being connected to everything down here — concerts, work, restaurants, all of it. This is where everything's at."

The last time growth in big cities surpassed that in outlying areas occurred prior to 1920, before the rise of mass-produced automobiles spurred expansion beyond city cores. Businesses are taking notice.

"There's a bigger focus on building residences near transportation hubs, such as a train or subway station, because fewer people want to travel by car for an hour and a half for work anymore," said Royal Shepard, an analyst with S&P Capital IQ.

Sociologist Katherine Newman chronicled the financial struggles of young adults in a recent book. From 2009 to 2011, just nine per cent of 29-to 34-year-olds were approved for a first-time mortgage.

"Young adults simply can't amass the down payments needed and don't have the earnings," she said. "They will be renting for a very long time."

But some economists aren't so certain "generation rent" will last, pointing to practical considerations such as better schools in suburbs, government tax breaks for home ownership and subsidies for travel in rural areas, as well as rapidly rising downtown rents.

U.S. census stats

- Primary cities with populations of more than one million grew by 1.1 per cent last year, compared with 0.9 per cent in suburbs.
- New Orleans saw the biggest rebound in growth in the last year — 3.7 per cent versus 0.6 per cent.
- City growth surpassed or equaled that of suburbs in roughly 33 of 51 large metro areas.



Dodging the relentless crow

A crow dive-bombs Melanie Lochert as she walks across the Morrison Bridge Thursday in Portland, Ore. For the past two months, people have been dodging a crow that's protecting a nest. RICK BOWMER/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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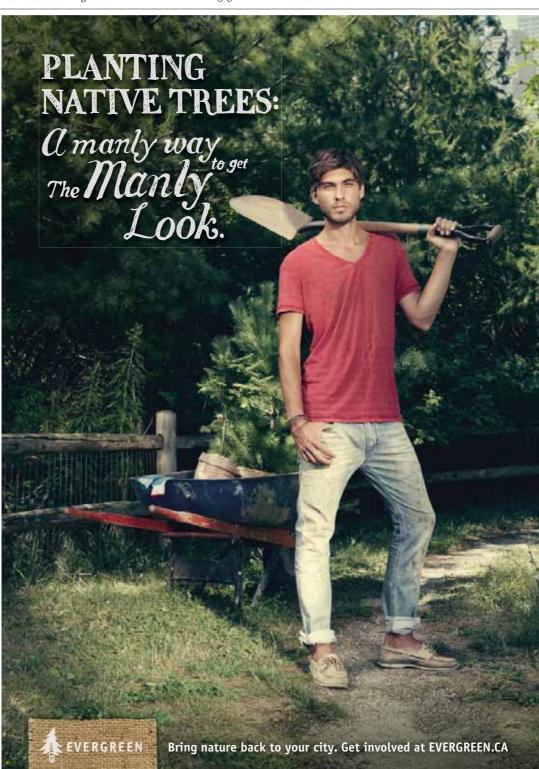
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Turkey deploys heavy weaponry to Syrian border as tensions rise

Former allies.

Turkey now among strongest critics of Assad regime

Turkey deployed anti-aircraft guns, rocket launchers and other weapons along its border with Syria on Thursday.

It was a military buildup that came as world powers showed new urgency to resolve the crisis in Syria before it ignites the region.

A bomb exploded in central Damascus near a busy market and the country's main justice complex, wounding at least three people, damaging cars in a parking lot and sending a black cloud rising above the Syrian capital.

It was not clear who was behind the bombing.

Much of the violence

Much of the violence that has gripped Syria since the uprising began in March 2011 has been sanc-



tioned by the government of President Bashar Assad to crush dissent.

Rebel fighters are launching increasingly deadly attacks on regime targets,

and several massive suicide attacks this year suggest al-Qaida or other extremists are joining the fray.

Turkey, a former ally of Syria, has become one of the strongest critics of the Assad regime, and tensions between the two countries spiked following the downing of a Turkish military plane last week. A small convoy of Turkish military trucks towing anti-aircraft guns entered a military outpost on the border opposite a similar Syrian outpost. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Tinderbox

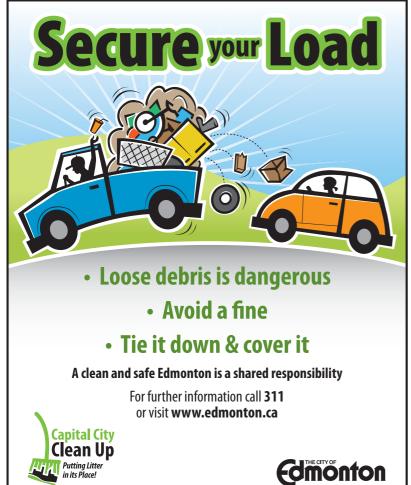
More and more flee Svria

The UN refugee agency says the number of people fleeing the violence in Syria could double to 185,000 by the end of the year.

Agency officials say the number of refugees who have fled Syria has already doubled to 96,000 since March, forcing them to redraw their plans for how best to help — and the amount of money they will need to provide the help.

the help.
A UN official praised
Iraq, Jordan, Lebanon and
Turkey for "tremendous
generosity" by providing
refugee camps and other

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Greek police make arrests in case of fake euro coins

Funny money.

Busts came after tip from authorities in neighbouring Bulgaria

Police in northern Greece have arrested two men accused of making tens of thousands of counterfeit twoeuro coins.

A Bulgarian man aged 59 and a 41-year-old alleged Greek accomplice were arrested near Greece's second largest city, Thessaloniki. Police were also seeking the arrest of a 40-year-old Greek man

Police seized thousands of nickel- and copper-alloy pieces used to make the coins. They also seized machinery that embeds the coins with the Greek national design.

The arrests were made in Epanomi, 20 kilometres outside Thessaloniki.

Police worked with the European Union's crime-fighting agency Europol.
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The Hague. Karadzic acquitted on one charge of genocide, trial to continue

The Yugoslav war-crimes tribunal acquitted former Bosnian Serb leader Radovan Karadzic of one charge of genocide Thursday but upheld 10 other war-crimes counts.

The counts all relate to atrocities in Bosnia's bloody war.

While the decision was a setback for prosecutors and angered survivors in Bosnia, the 10 pending charges against Karadzic include another genocide count covering his alleged involvement in the 1995 Srebrenica mas-

sacre of 8,000 Muslim men and boys.

The charge that was dismissed Thursday covered the mass killings, expulsions and persecution by Serb forces of Muslims and Croats from Bosnian towns early in the country's 1992-95 war.

Judge Oh-Gon Kwon said prosecutors did not provide enough evidence to "be capable of supporting a conviction of genocide in the (Bosnian) municipalities."

The trial will continue later this year on the remaining counts. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Transparency

Vatican Bank welcomes media

The Vatican bank, one of the most secretive institutions in the Vatican, opened its doors to journalists Thursday in a bid to show it is serious about fighting money-laundering and being more financially transparent.

During a three-hour PowerPoint presentation, the bank's director Paolo Cipriani outlined the unusual nature of the Institute for Religious Works, the bank's official name

He also sought to refute media allegations that the bank has been less than cooperative with requests for financial information.

There are ongoing suspicions by Italian authorities that it hasn't abided by antimoney laundering norms.

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Web wars

Google releases Chrome browser for iPhone, iPad

Google's Chrome browser can now be used to surf the Internet on the iPhone and iPad.

The Chrome application released Thursday is the latest volley in the escalat-

ing rivalry between Google and Apple, the maker of the popular mobile devices.

Google's attempt to supplant Apple's own Safari browser comes a day after it unveiled its plans to sell a low-priced tablet computer to compete against the iPad and Amazon's Kindle Fire.

The arrival of Chrome on Apple's mobile operating system comes a month after Yahoo released a browser called Axis for the iPhone and iPad.

Unlike Axis, however, Chrome already has emerged as one of the most popular alternatives to Microsoft's Internet Explorer on traditional computers.

Google revealed Thursday that Chrome now has 310-million active users, up from 160 million a year ago.

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Bad trade

JPMorgan Chase shares fall on report of \$9B loss

JPMorgan Chase stock declined more than two per cent on Thursday, making it one of the worst-performing banks, after a published report said its loss on a bad trade could be far higher than the bank first estimated. The New York Times, citing an internal report at the bank, reported that the loss

could reach \$9 billion US.

JPMorgan Chase stock closed down 90 cents US, or 2.4 per cent, at \$35.88. Financial stocks as a group lost 0.2 per cent. JPMorgan traded at about \$41 before the loss was disclosed and has closed as low as \$31 in the weeks since. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Research In Motion still stumbling

First-quarter results.

Troubled tech firm's shares plunge after news of deep job cuts and postponed launch of the Blackberry 10

Research In Motion is delaying the launch of its much-anticipated BlackBerry 10 handset until next year and cutting 5,000 jobs as it restructures operations, the troubled smartphone company said Thursday. The launch of BlackBerry

The launch of BlackBerry 10, seen as key to the recovery of the company, had been expected later this year and will now miss the important holiday shopping season.

"This was a challenging quarter for the company on many fronts and I'm not satisfied with the financial performance we are reporting," chief executive Thorsten Heins said on a conference call.

Heins said the company's top priority is the launch of the first BlackBerry 10 device, which it has pushed to the first quarter of 2013.

The company also plans to simplify its operations, which includes cutting back on the number of different BlackBerry devices on the market, as well as reducing its "layers of management" and outsourcing more of its non-core functions.

RIM shares plunged 16 per cent in after-hours trading on the Nasdaq, losing \$1.50 to \$7.63 US. Shares closed up two cents at \$9.46 on the Toronto Stock Exchange in regular-hours trading Thursday.

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WestJet CEO gets hands-on with the Q400

Westlet Airlines president and CEO Gregg Saretsky looks at a tongue-in-cheek "Sold" sign on Bombardier Aerospace's Q400 aircraft in Calgary on Thursday. Westlet will begin receiving the Q400 for their new regional airline in 2013. Westlet has signed a conditional order for 20 Q400 NextGen turboprops. The new airline is anticipated to serve regional airports that are currently considered underserved.

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Guilty. Companies fined for illegal export

Pratt & Whitney Canada Corp. is among the United Technologies companies that will pay up to about \$75 million in penalties after pleading guilty Thursday to violating U.S. law for illegally exporting military software to China.

The Quebec-based subsidi-

ary pleaded guilty to three counts of violating the Arms Export Control Act and making false statements in connection with the export of software used in the development of China's first modern military attack helicopter.

UTC can apply to have up to \$20 million of the pen-

alty suspended as a result of "remedial compliance meas-

In addition to paying the fine, UTC companies must retain an independent monitor to assess their compliance with export laws for the next two years.

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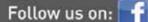




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Wheat board. Harper government helps board compete with \$349M

The federal government is injecting cash into the Canadian Wheat Board to help it deal with new competition in an open market.

Agriculture Minister Gerry Ritz says Ottawa will put up \$349 million to help pay for the severance and pensions of former workers, computer systems and other items.

The money is unlikely to silence critics who say the government is killing the board.

Ritz passed a law last year to strip the board of its mon-

opoly over western wheat and barley sales as of Aug. 1.

The move has divided farmers: Some say they can get higher prices in an open market, while others say the board's monopoly prevented producers from competing against each other for sales.

The change has also led to several court battles, including a Federal Court lawsuit by board supporters who are seeking \$17 billion in damages and an order restoring the board's monopoly. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Background

The Canadian Wheat Board signed a grain-handling deal with Viterra last week.

- Federal legislation ended the board's monopoly on western wheat and barley sales, and thus as of Aug. 1, the board will have to compete with grain handlers like Viterra for sales.
- · The board, however, doesn't

have its own elevators or terminals.

- Board president and CEO Ian White said the deal was one of six that would give farmers delivery points across Western Canada.
- White said companies that would handle CWB grain operate more than 120 elevators.



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Quebec to get Aerolia plant

Aerolia chief executive Christian Cornille, left, and Quebec Economic Development Minister Sam Hamad pose at a news conference Thursday in Montreal to announce the company will build a new assembly plant in Quebec. The unit of the European aerospace giant that owns Airbus plans to create more than 150 jobs in Quebec in a project that will see it build the centre fuselage for new business jets being made by Bombardier Inc. Aerolia, a subsidiary of EADS, says the jobs will be created at two sites as it supplies a key component of the Bombardier Global 7000 and 8000 jets.

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On Wednesday it was the Canada Day List, highlighting 10 great things about Canada. Today it's the Metro List, our authoritative tally of the most noteworthy events of the week.

You want a list? I'll give you a list. Because we're so big on lists around here, we tip our hats in the general direction of the Maclean's Book of Lists, which, even though it's from the competition, is the Mother of All Lists, including 12 things you didn't know were invented by Canadians, the top-10 crying hockey players, eight Canadian sitcoms that sucked and seven facts about winning the lottery. Plus it hits the stands on Canada Day (see above).

Obamacare. The president's medical-coverage scheme survives the U.S. Supreme Court. Now it's the law that every American must have health coverage. It's kind of like being a Canadian. Too bad Fox and CNN, in the race to be first, got it dead wrong, reporting that SCOTUS struck the law down and then correcting themselves. Red faces all around.

Speaking of Obama. A poll says 65 per cent of Americans think he'll do better than Mitt Romney if there's an alien invasion. Either they believe he was born in Kenya, and is therefore an alien himself, or they think Romney would declare all the aliens illegal and deport

them back to Alpha Centauri.

He's not crying. Sidney Crosby signs a deal to make \$104 million US to play hockey for the Pittsburgh Penguins for the next 12 years. Gordie Howe, a 23-time NHL all-star, made \$100,000 in his highestpaid season. In his 103-point best year, he was the third-highest paid guy on the team, making \$45,000.

Tennis, anyone? Wimbledon considers introducing a court-side grunt-o-meter to measure the decibel count on grunts from female tennis players. Maria Sharapova can hit decibels — 101 — greater than a jackhammer and a motorcycle.

The Algo Centre Mall. The commercial heart of 6 Elliot Lake, Ont., collapses. Tragedy strikes anyone, any day, but can't we make sure that malls don't collapse? Like, build it right to begin with.

Naked truth. The Canadian national women's rugby team bares all for a fundraising calendar. The Canadian national men's rugby team promises not to publish a naked calendar if we give them money.

Bieber Watch. Justin Bieber enjoys the year's biggest debut as his latest album, Believe, sold • 374,000 copies in its first week, according to figures from Nielsen SoundScan. I wonder who'll buy lunch at the Overpaid Café: Justin or Sidney? Sigh.

Happy Canada 0 Day. Bonne Fête du Canada Păomă jiānádà guóqìng rì.



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New cable car gets a blessing



Sky opens in London

New cable car to brighten the city

It's a heavenly sign of good times to come, or at least that's what London's ruling officials want. The U.K. capital opened its first cable-car service on Thursday, a stunning ride across the River Thames that will cater to tourists visiting the nearby Olympic Park. METRO

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Over-bearing humour?

Ted. Without network censors on his case, Seth MacFarlane lets the politically incorrect jokes fly in new comedy

Richard: The novelty of watching a stuffed bear spout words that would make a biker blush fades soon after the opening credits. After that the movie relies on Seth MacFarlane's trademarked blend of awkward, inappropriate humour to get laughs, and you know what? It works. I didn't feel good about laughing at some of the gags, but I laughed. You?

Mark: Yes, I laughed. There are some very good jokes in the movie, although the film isn't as innovative as it wants us to believe. It's very similar to movies like You, Me, and Dupree which asks the main character

Synopsis

When John Bennett (Mark Walhberg) was a small, lonely child, he wished for just one thing — a best friend. His wish came true, and Ted (voice of Seth MacFarlane), his trusty teddy bear, came to life. The pair became "Thunder Buddies" for life, which causes problems when John grows up and moves in with his girlfriend Lori (Mila Kunis). After four years of living with John and the pot-smoking, foul-mouthed Ted, she makes an ultimatum: it's either her or the stuffed, stoned bear.

- Richard: ••••
- Mark: ••••

to choose between his romantic interest and boorish but lovable best friend. In this case the best friend is a teddy bear, but the dynamic is the same. If you've ever loved one of those dirty ventriloquist acts this movie is surely for you. But the bottom line is: I laughed.

RC: Fans of Family Guy already know what to expect from the big screen directorial debut of Seth MacFarlane. As the writer and the voice behind Peter Griffin on that show he has redefined the limits of what is acceptable on prime-time TV. Now, imagine that without a network censor looking over his shoulder. It's not the concept that pushes the envelope it's the material. It's filled with the kind of jokes you tell around the water cooler the next day, but only in a whisper.

MB: And three cheers to Mac-Farlane for it! Most movie comedies confuse political incorrectness with cheap grossout humour but MacFarlane is closer in tone to the South Park creators — there isn't an ethnic or special needs group left unscathed. Animators have known for a long time that when you put these jokes in the mouths of non-humans, it takes away enough of the sting to let them slide. Anything in particular make you laugh?

RC: Like any five-year-old I always giggle at flatulence jokes. I'm not proud of it, but there you have it. They make me laugh and Ted has a restaurant scene involving gassiness and some outraged businessmen that is to passing-gas-scenes what the Odessa Steps sequence is to Battleship Potemkin.

MB: You just made Eisenstein roll over in his grave. I loved the wisecracks and most of the flashback scenes. But the overthe-top motel room fight between man and teddy bear will stay with me forever.

SCENE

Scene in brief

Snoop detained in Norway?

Norwegian media are reporting that Snoop Dogg was briefly detained in Norway after entering the country with marijuana and a large amount of cash. Customs officials de-cline to confirm the report, saying only that an American artist entered Norway with a small amount of marijuana. Norwegian law prevents law enforcement officials from naming suspects. A customs officer who spoke on condition of anonymity said Thursday that the artist was also carrying more cash than is legally allowed and was subsequently fined \$8,600 for the violations. Snoop Dogg was scheduled to perform Thursday at a musical festival in the town of Kristiansand. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

On the web



Playing male stripper in Magic Mike illuminated female fantasy for cast of Hollywood hunks



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Richards channels her inner Tyler Perry

Madea's Witness Protection. Actress talks about the most awkward scene she was handed in the latest installment of the Madea franchise

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orld News in New York

As she munches on Peanut M&Ms, exchanges a quick word with her publicist and taps out a lightning-fast text message "I'm so sorry, just making arrangements with the kids," she blurts — Denise Richards is every bit the multi-tasking mom. But in a matter of hours, she'll dial up the glamour, working the red carpet for the premiere of Madea's Witness Protection, the seventh installment in Tyler Perry's ever-ex-

out Friday, the raucous comedy is centred on George Needleman (Eugene Levy), an honest but absent-minded Wall Street CFO, who learns his firm is operating a mob-backed Ponzi scheme. When Brian, a federal prosecutor from Atlanta (Perry) places George and his family in the safest hideaway he can think of — his Aunt Madea's down South — what unfolds is a whacky collision of cultures, punctuated with brazen one-liners, courtesy of Perry's fearless, larger-than-life

"I haven't seen (the film)



who plays George's aggravated second wife, Kate. "My girls won't be embarrassed? Like, 'mom, you're acting really she asks with a self-

conscious giggle. She's referring to an especially outrageous scene where Kate channels Madea's thunderous, trademark holler in a last-ditch effort to discipline her spoiled step-daughter (Danielle Campbell). "Thank god they sprung that scene on me on set, otherwise I would've gotten myself worked up," she admits. "It was intimi-dating. I was imitating Tyler

yet," confesses Richards, 41,

Perry imitating Madea.' Richards sings sweet praises for Perry, marveling at his

Richards guest stars on ex-husband Charlie Sheen's highly-anticipated comeback sitcom, Anger Management, which made its debut this week. "If it gets picked up, I'll be a recurring character," she says enthusiastically. "I think people will be surprised to see Charlie playing a different character, it's not what they're expecting."

seamless ability to write, direct and simultaneously play three

characters (in addition to Brian and Madea, Perry also portrays Uncle Joe, Madea's eccentric, live-in brother). "He's so sexy, he's got this great presence and powerful voice," Richards gushes, describing Perry's charismatic, off-screen persona. "And to go from that to Madea and Joe telling fart jokes...I'm like, how does that come out of you?"

Equally impressive was the director's ability to wrapup shooting a week ahead of schedule — practically unheard of in Hollywood. "We finished early!" Richards exclaimed. (Perry) was editing in his head. To have that foresight is incred-

Whirlwind cameo. Tom Arnold agrees to role out of curiosity

For comedy stalwart Tom Arnold, all it took was a few, focused hours to shoot a pivotal cameo in Tyler Perry's ensemble comedy, Madea's Witness Protection.

"I came to Atlanta on a Saturday night and left the following day," explained the 53-year-old actor, recalling his whirlwind trip. "I did it

to see what Tyler was like."
Fortunately, Perry exceeded his expectations, whether he was directing the cast in his outrageous Madea costume, urging them to ad-lib or just "being a cheerleader," as Arnold describes.

"I didn't know Tyler and wanted to see if he was up for improvising, and he was more than up for it," he added. "There are lines that I made up and saw in my finished scene. Some writ-ers are like, 'I wrote every word, I'm Bill Shakespeare, but with Tyler, the best joke

In the film, Arnold plays Walter, the seedy boss to Wall Street CFO, George Needleman (Eugene Levy), and chief schemer behind their firm's mob-backed Ponzi scheme — foul play that eventually forces the Needlemans to seek refuge with Aunt Madea (Tyler Perry). "I play a young-er, more handsome, Bernie Madoff-type guy," says Arnold, exuding his signature brand of kooky, tongue-in-cheek humour.

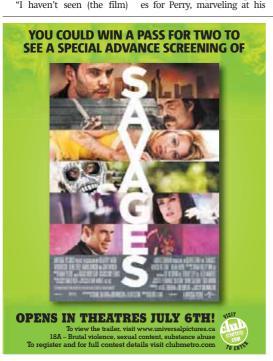
No stranger to stories about fitting in — as the host of CMT's highly successful reality show, My Big Redneck Vacation, the star is well acquainted with the notion of culture-shock — Arnold is an enthusiastic supporter of



this type of storytelling.
"At least 50 per cent of movies are fish-out-of-water tales," he declares. "The key is to find different pools for

the fish to jump in and if it's done right, people like it." These days, Arnold's balancing a plate that's practically overflowing, complete with stand-up gigs, script-writing sessions and the occasional movie role. Later this summer, he'll appear in the Kristen Bell-Bradley Cooper Hit and Run. "It also has a bit of a witness protection twist to it," he shares, amused at the paral-lels between an outlandish comedy and a slick action-

Despite decades of being steeped in Hollywood (and scoring a Golden Globe and Peabody along the way), Arnold's still setting goals, turning to writing on especially tough days. "You have to prove yourself in this business," he admits. "And apparently I have to do it for 30 years." AARTI VIRANI, MWN









Take this Waltz

Director. Sarah Polley

Stars. Michelle Williams, Seth Rogen, Luke Kirby

STEVE GOW

Actor-turned-filmmaker Sarah Polley's follow-up to Away From Her is as poign-ant as her Oscar-nominated debut. Delving into themes of emotional turmoil, the drama explores a married woman (Michelle Williams) and her repressed desire to seek fulfillment in a bohemian artist. While the premise reeks of convenience (they meet in Halifax only to discover they're neighbours!), Polley's script carries a soft intensity while the cast (particularly Williams) make the film worth waltzing to the multiplex



People Like Us

Director. Alex Kurtzman

Stars. Chris Pine, Elizabeth Banks, Olivia Wilde

Sam (Pine) is a selfish salesman who only cares about money. So when his dad passes away and leaves him \$150,000, Sam is over the moon - until he finds out the fortune is for a sister he never knew he had. Unsure if he'll give up the money, Sam develops a friendship with his sister, Frankie (Banks), but doesn't reveal their true relationship. Banks is delightful as a fiery single mom, but the film is too long and there are a couple of unnecessary characters that distract from what could have been a decent drama. REGAN REID



Magic Mike

Director. Steven Soderbergh

Stars. Channing Tatum, Matthew McConaughey

It would be challenging to make a truly serious movie about male strippers and luckily, director Steven Soderbergh doesn't. A semi-autobiographical story about its chiseled star Channing Tatum, Magic Mike explores the struggle of an "entrepreneur" whose real dream isn't to dance on top of furniture but to build it. It loses strength when the plot turns transparent but the cast (particularly Matthew McConaughey) really has their mojo working. STEVE GOW



Turn me on. Dammit!

Director, Jannicke Systad Jacobsen

Stars. Helene Bergsholm, Malin Bjørhovde and Henriet Steenstrup

Fifteen-year-old Alma (Berg-sholm) lives with her mother in rural Norway, where everything is "stupid" and her only fun is solo sex and the porn magazines at the store where she's working to pay off a hefty phonesex bill. Her mother's at her wits' end and Alma's a social outcast after a humiliating incident; only the phone-sex guy understands her. This sly festival-circuit award-winner is disarmingly sweet.



Marley

Director. Kevin MacDonald

For a man whose music and image are as inter-nationally recognized as Bob Marley's, there's a lot about the singer's life that remains unknown to his legion of fans. And after decades of letting outsiders fill in those gaps, the reggae legend's family has chosen to tell their side of the story. Marley is as all-encompassing and exhaustively researched a doc as one could imagine. Director Kevin MacDonald (The Last King of Scotland) is able to weave Bob Marley's complicated and multifaceted life into a thoroughly enjoyable documentary. IAN GORMELY



Bernie

Director. Richard Linklater

Stars. Jack Black, Shirley MacLaine

Richard Linklater's docudrama takes off from the bizarre real-life story of a Texas funeral home worker who murdered his elderly female companion. But it's not a lurid, ripped-from-theheadlines melodrama. Instead, this gifted filmmaker fashions an oddly affectionate paean to small-town eccentricity rooted in local detail and adorned by Jack Black's controlled, slightly eerie performance as the likeable yet homicidal title character. ADAM NAYMAN

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Garfield spins a nervous web

The Amazing Spider-Man. Actor had plenty of anxiety over doing justice to one of his favourite comic book characters

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Metro World News in New Yor

Now that The Amazing Spider-Man is finally about to hit theatres, it seems as though star Andrew Garfield will at last be able to get a full eight hours of sleep.

sleep.
"I've been nervous for the last two years, it seems," he explains. "Every day, there's been something that's made me have to suppress shaking."
Clearly the British actor felt

Clearly the British actor felt some pressure after taking up the mantel of Spidey that recently was worn by Tobey Maguire in the three installments that ran from 2002-2007. But it was Garfield's personal connection to Marvel's signature comic book character that got him all tied up in knots, so to speak, for the reboot.

"We all have that one fictional character, at least, that we all care about so much," he says.

"If ever that opportunity came for any of us to play it, to serve it, do it justice, when that moment comes, you're like, 'I'm not allowed to sleep. I'm not allowed to think about anything else! I need to dedicate everything to this person that's given me so much in my life that I want to give all of my-self to it."

Garfield's not the kind of

Staving grounded

Andrew Garfield has made a vow that he'll audition for every role he's interested in—an unconventional practice for well-established actors. "I've had to work for everything that I've been a part of and this is what's satisfying about it, because you know that they really looked at everyone, and you are the right person for that particular story and that particular moment."

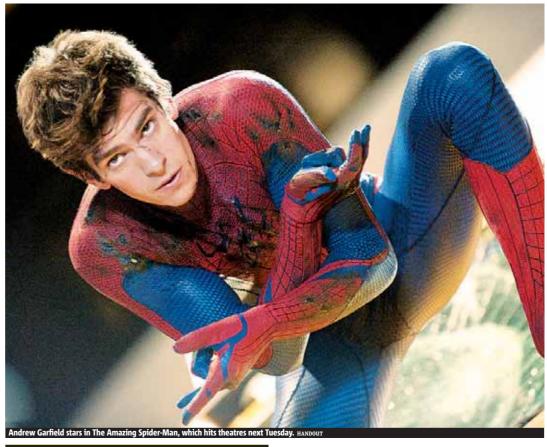
actor who comes off as disingenuous — unless of course, it's in the script. But his naturally quiet, smart, somewhat befuddled nature comes across in his iteration of Spider-man, who's more fidgety and anxious than the Spideys before him. That aspect of the masked hero's DNA was what Garfield held on to.

"That was how I always felt growing up — I felt like an underdog. I was a skinny kid. I always thought I should have been bigger for some reason, because society tells you that,"

"I played rugby, and I was good at it but I got concussed all the time because I was a weakling. So that was something that I identified with for Peter, because he felt stronger on the inside than he did on the outside ... and there's nothing better than seeing a skinny guy beat the crap out of big guys."

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A weakling, he might have been at one time, but Garfield will be poised for superstardom should this reboot of Spider-Man franchise take off.





Emma Stone plays Peter Parker's first love, Gwen Stacy. HANDOUIT

Emma Stone. Actress has fun falling in love all over again — for the first time

Emma Stone has quickly become one of the most in-demand actresses in Hollywood. Since her breakout role in Superbad in 2007, she's not only racked up a number of lead roles, such as in The Help and Easy A, but she's also been nominated for a slew of awards for her work. Today, she sits atop a major comic book franchise with Andrew Garfield in the reboot of The Amazing Spider-Man. But she's no role model, folks.

"I don't in any way shape, or form think that I'm any type of a role model or anything like that." she says emphatically.

"But I think for whatever reason when you're put into a public place, you have to figure out what that purpose is in your life."

Stone remains focused on her career, expressly stating that she won't talk politics. However, a new contract she's signed with Revlon does give her the opportunity to say something about beauty, even if she seems quite unaware of her own appeal.

"I thought why in the world would I be approached for a beauty campaign, because I had always been the funny girl. That's not to put myself down; that was always the way that my brain worked," she says. "Then I thought about Diane Keaton for L'Oreal and Ellen DeGeneres for Cover Girl, and

how sometimes real beauty gets to be celebrated. If I have an opportunity to possibly reach young girls to make them feel like what they are is enough ... then that's a game changer."

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Stone and Garfield themselves may be re-writing the rules when it comes to the Spider-Man franchise, which audiences had last seen in 2007 with the third installment, starring Tobey Maguire and Kirsten Dunst, as Mary Jane Watson. In this iteration, helmed by 500 Days of Summer director Marc Webb, Stone plays Peter Parker's first love, Gwen Stacy. With Garfield and Stone romantically involved offscreen, the intense connection they have in front of the camera is that much more believable, as the actress herself hints

"This kind of swept me off of my feet because she is truly in love with him," Stone says of her and Garfield's characters

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"I wanted to experience that feeling of first love before you know what it's like to get your heart completely shattered — that life or death love. It's a matter of un-learning, and becoming 17 again, and letting yourself be 17 in this moment. It's fun, you guys should try it, it's pretty cool to feel that way again."

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Five fierce silver-screen redheads

Brunettes have the mystery, and blonds have more fun, but it is redheads that we associate with passion. We take a look at five famous ones from the movies that exude the sexy, fiery attributes of redheads of popular imagination, like Katherine Hepburn, Emma Stone and, uh, Woody Allen.

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Redheads have always captivated on the screen, from 1940s sexpot Rita Hayworth, to '80s teen queen Molly Ringwald, to Mad Men's queen bee Joan Harris.

But with Pixar's Brave coming out this week — and among its more appealing visual elements being the wild mane of long, red curls on the head of Scottish princess Merida — summer 2012 could be shaping up to be the season of the redhead.

So that got us thinking about other famed auburns.

There are too many to choose from but we only get to pick five. Sorry, Carrot Top.

Katharine Hepburn

The classic redhead, even though it may not have been obvious in her early, black-and-white movies. Hepburn's hair — along with those sharp cheekbones, bright eyes and tall, athletic frame — gave her an aura of patrician and strength. In colour films, the red locks magnified her fiery persona, contributed to the sense that she was not a woman to be trifled with. And even in later films like 1981's On Golden Pond, when her tresses had faded a bit, she still exuded an air of irreverence and unpredictability.



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Nicole Kidman

We see her as a blond sometimes: on the red carpet for the Oscars, for example, or in her upcoming movie The Paperboy, for which she bleached her locks platinum. She switched to a medium-brown shade for the biopic Fur: An Imaginary Portrait of Diane Arbus. But for the most part, Kidman's raven hair is a key component of her signature, statuesque look In early films like Dead Calm and Days of Thunder, the prodigious nature of her red curls signalled the presence of someone fierce and formidable. But she's also smoothed them out and tamed them to a softer strawberry shade for movies including To Die For.

Emma Stone

A redhead on the rise. Yes, she's back to her natural blond hair for her latest role in next month's The Amazing Spider-Man. But in the movies that put her on the map — Superbad, Zombieland and especially Easy A, the high school comedy that made it clear she's destined for superstardom — her red hair adds to her sly, subversive allure. More mature roles came along last year in two big movies: The Help and Crazy Stupid Love. Her entire vibe suggests that she'd just be a cool chick to hang out with, and a lot of that has to do with the intriguing contrast of her dark red hair and bright green eyes.





Woody Allen

They can't all be women, right? He's 76 now and the years have understandably greyed him, as evidenced this week as he appears on screen in his latest movie, the ensemble comedy To Rome With Love. But in his earliest films, like 1971's Bananas and 1977's Annie Hall, the shaggy red hair combined with the eyeglasses, you can see the demeanour and the delivery that creates his trademark, neurotic persona. While red hair can seem so exciting on women, Allen's contributed to the sensation that he was an underdog, someone you always want to root for to get out of a predicament or fall in love.

Jessica Rabbit

So maybe she's not a "real" person (although she's inspired countless real fantasies, not to mention naughty Halloween costumes). But we have to admit that when we started pondering the notion of movie redheads, this cartoon character's name is the first one that popped into our heads. The femme fatale from Robert Zemeckis' 1988 film Who Framed Roger Rabbit, a groundbreaking mix of live-action and animation, simply oozes sex appeal, especially as voiced by Kathleen Turner. Crucial to her look is her long mane of wavy, red tresses, which cascade down all the right places on her curvy





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Sound Check

Canada finally getting music hall of fame



SOUND CHECK Alan Cross scene@metronews.ca

In a speech at the Empire Club last week, Conrad Black mused "Canadians are notoriously non messianic or self-important, and have no illusions about being a light onto the world."

That's a bingo. How else to explain that the Canadian Music Hall of Fame doesn't have a proper home? Despite Canada punching far above its weight when it comes to exporting music to the world, we've done a lousy job of documenting our nation's musical achievements.

That, however, is finally starting to change. The National Music Centre in Calgary is seeing to that. Later this year, construction will begin at a corner east of downtown on a 160,000 square-foot ultra-modern facility that will span 4th Street SE from what is now an empty lot to the King Edward Hotel, a legendary (but now closed) blues joint. When completed sometime in early 2015, we will have a state-of-the-art celebration of Canadian music.

"This will be more than a place with just plaques on the wall," says Andrew Mosker, the NMC's president and CEO. "We want to make it completely immersive and interactive."

Some \$75 million is



already in place from three levels of government and public fundraising. There's still another \$40 million to go, but things look bright.

There will be a 300-seat theatre, a recording studio, a live-work block for artists in residence, a multitude of educational facilities and a large collection of artifacts relevant to our musical history

And it's more than just rock. There's country music, classical music and jazz (gotta get Glenn Gould and Oscar Peterson in there). Visitors will also learn about the effect geography and multiculturalism has had on our music.

"It's quite a broad vision," says Mosker, "and it will take a lot of work to execute. But we'll do it."

Meanwhile, NMC HQ — located a few blocks west of where the new building will rise — is open for business. They have one of the most spectacular collections of keyboards you will ever see. There are protopianos from the 16th century, Theremins from the 1920s to giant component synthesizers from the 1970s (including the actual synth used in Close Encounters of the Third Kind). The original Rolling Stones mobile recording truck is parked in storage somewhere, too.

Everyone else should check out nmc.ca.

Call Me Maybe the summer's biggest hit

Pop music. Carly Rae Jepsen speaks about the song that has suddenly come to

define your favourite

months of the year

PAT HEALY

When we reached out to Carly Rae Jepsen to talk about Call Me Maybe, her suddenly ubiquitous smash, which is No. 1 for the third straight week in a row, we told her that Metro readers had named it the song of the summer, and we'd love to ask her a few questions about it.

Call me, maybe, we said. She was too busy, caught up in the whirlwind that suden international attention demands, but she asked if we would settle for an e-mail interview. Even in electronic correspondence, the bubbly persona she projects in her hit song comes through.

Hello Carly Rae Jepsen! Congratulations on pretty much having locked up the honour of Song of the Summer with Call Me Maybe.

Oh wow! Thank you so much. It definitely has been quite the ride. Happy to hear it makes the summer playlist!

I've seen that you've said you were shocked about the song becoming No. 1, but when you wrote it. did you



have any idea that it would be a hit?

I co-wrote Call Me Maybe with two of my best friends: Josh Ramsay and Tavish Crowe. None of us expected this. We enjoyed the writing and production process and thought it was a fun one, but that's about it.

What time of the year was it when you wrote it?

when you wrote it? It was written in the summer time. Started out as a folk song that Tav and I were jamming to while on tour. Then we showed the idea to Josh and he helped us popify it!

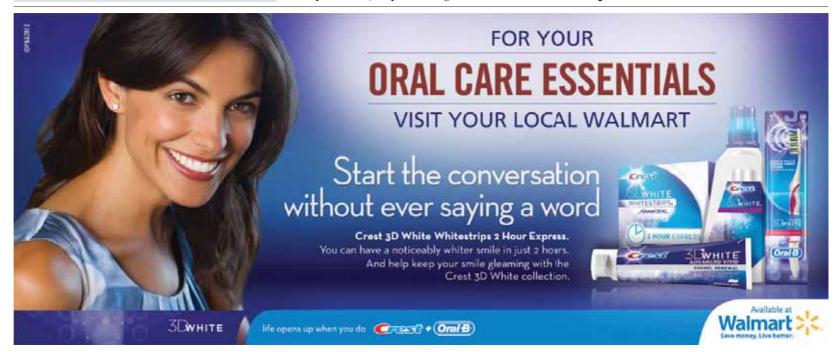
There's one part in the 21 Jump Street movie where Jonah Hill's character, as an older undercover cop, calls a girl in his class, and she says something to the effect of, "What are you doing? Nobody calls anybody anymore!" Was there any thought that using the phrase "call me" might seem outdated to kids? Was there ever a draft of the song that was Text Me

Maybe or anything?

Nah, text me doesn't sing as well.

There have been so many tributes and parodies of Call Me Maybe, which one is your favorite? That's hard to decide. I like

That's hard to decide. I like the video with Justin Bieber, Selena Gomez, Ashley Tisdale and the guys from Big Time Rush. It was sort of the video to spark them all so it's special to me. That being said, the Katy Perry one makes me smile too



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MOVES LIKE MAROON 5

Two members of the band talk about their permanent brush with fame, their new album, and address rumours that frontman Adam Levine might go solo

OVEREXPOSED

Adam Levine knows the game.

Seconds after sitting down for an on-camera interview and before any questions are asked, the Maroon 5 frontman playfully rattles off canned responses he's used in recent months while promoting The Voice and the band's fourth album.

"It is our poppiest record ever. We're really embracing the pop side. Christina (Aguilera) and I are all good. We don't fight," he says brightly. "I feel great about this record! Probably our best ever!"

He lets out a stagey, fake chuckle, and it's clear that the 33-year-old Los Angeles native both relishes the spotlight and has been around long enough to grow a smidge tired of its glare. Thus the title of the abum, Overexposed, which finds the five-man group at its com-

mercial peak ten years after its debut Songs About Jane. Last year's standalone single

Last year's standalone single Moves Like Jagger, featuring the aforementioned Aguilera, stayed at No. 1 on Billboard's Hot 100 for a month. Overexposed's lead single Payphone is now in the top five.

Levine and guitarist James Valentine spoke with The Associated Press in a recording studio about Maroon 5's "identity issues," educating young fans and why Levine doesn't plan to go solo.

Why Overexposed as an album title?

Levine: We thought we would just kind of say it before everybody else did. ... My face is on buses, which is a trip and it's weird. ... The Jagger tune propelled us into the stratosphere even more, combined with the show and a lot of things that are happening right now.

And do the songs address that as well?

Levine: They're love songs and they're songs about dysfunction but also songs about having a good time. I used to have to be miserable to write a song. And that's kind of gone away. Valentine: It's weird because when things are going well for him, he's just not inspired to write, because he's enjoying life and enjoying being in those moments. Then as soon as things get a little hairy, then all of (the) sudden songs come out which is good for us

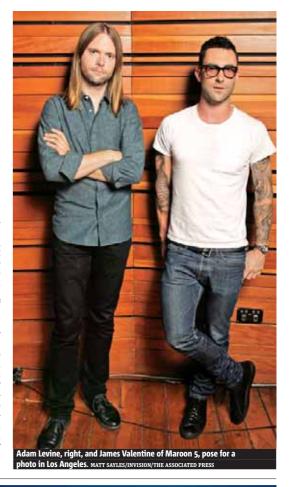
out, which is good for us.
Levine: But we also have the moments that I think are just speaking more universally. ...
That kind of clarity is what's best about the record. ... It's not

shrouded in too much metaphor and ambiguity and poetry. I used to think about it much more poetically but I don't anymore. I'm much more concerned with making everyone understand what I mean and what I'm feeling.

Adam, could you see yourself going solo and then coming back to the band?

Levine: No. And I know I say this and "famous last words," but being a solo artist is so painfully uncool. I always loved playing music with my friends and being in a bit of a fraternity with my best friends and playing and travelling the world. To be a solo artist, I'm just not interested. I never have been. I'd sooner start another band. And why would I want to start over as myself?

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS





Dance diva. Erika Jayne keeping her musical sound clean and simple

Since her debut in 2007, pop singer Erika Jayne has dominated the top of the Billboard Dance Chart with hits like Stars and Party People (Ignite the World). Metro caught up with her at her L.A. rehearsal space before she heads north.

How is rehearsal going?

It's good. You know, we're putting the show together and teaching someone new, so that's always a fun process. And it gives me a chance to brush up, for me to revisit it — a tune-up, actually.

You've been making music videos as well. What's the best use for those, now that MTV and VH1 aren't really an avenue anymore?

I think, you know, you put them on the Net, and that's really where they're found. I've had a great response, and I look forward to having bigger, better responses. And we just shot a video to my new single, Get it Tonight. We just finished it up and it should be out soon.

That video takes place in a Japanese-stylish arcade, and it's filled with my favorite things, which are boys and fun (laughs). And lots of bright colors and lots of fun and lots of smiles, you know. Hot dudes and really cute girls. There's a great dance break in it, a partner break this time. I've never done a partner break in a video before, so that was fun. It's a really easy, fun video.

How much do you try to recreate that live?

It depends. Like, I'm not going to have boys and girls on stage this time, so I can't re-



Erika Jayne finds herself tearing up the charts and finding new

create that dance break. But there's definitely a common thread. The show is girls, hot short-shorts — we're doing (City-TV's) Breakfast Television the day before, which will be fun. It's going to be fun — super-sexy.

Where are you looking to take your music, style-wise?

I think the first album and a couple of singles after that was definitely based around the themes of fantasy, love and escape. And this new album that's coming out is really more about glitz, glamour and fun. The music is still deeply dance-rooted, it's got a lot of pop overtones, but it's still very Erika Jayne and it's a "have a good time" message. If I had to describe the new stuff, it would be glitz, glamour and fun.

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Bringing the broken dreams to big screen

Liz Phair music. Artist on soundtrack of Alex Kurtzman's People like Us, which follows a man who discovers he has a half sister

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Liz Phair might not be used to the luxuries of promoting a major motion picture.

"Čan I steal a water? I lost mine somewhere along the way," she asks, eyeing a tray of drinks on a side table in a suite at the Four Seasons.

"This is so much easier than my normal life. I love this. Rock and roll is, like, way worse," she confides. "If I were doing any kind of stuff gearing up for a release, it would be like phoners to death, just on and on and on, you'd do 50 million of them."

After nearly three decades in the rock world, Phair finds herself in Hollywood for the first time, penning Dotted Line, the closing track for Alex Kurtzman's People Like Us. Writing for a movie was new territory for Phair — and that's just how she likes it.

"The whole way along, I felt like I'd stumbled into something where I was out of my depth, which is my favorite thing," she says. "I throw myself into the deep end of



the pool all the time, but it's always scary."

What was scary, it turns out, was seeing an earlier version of the movie at a Dreamworks screening room with Kurtzman in tow. The writerdirector had approached her early on in the process, Phair remembers.

"Alex called me almost a year and half before it was finished. I didn't know what he wanted with me. I was like, 'Sure, I'll go to lunch at Dreamworks,'" she says with a laugh and a shrug. "He said that he'd been listening to my

Quote

"There are so many broken people in music, but they're doing something beautiful with that brokenness"

Liz Phair

music when he was trying to write the character of Frankie (played by Elizabeth Banks), and that my rock persona helped him get into her. And damned if he didn't hit every one of my issues in the film.

"I didn't hear from him for many months, and then he called and said, 'Do you want to see a cut?'" she remembers.

And so it was back to Dreamworks.

"I bawled my eyes out in a dark room with these two men who were completely unmoved — they were like, 'We should start this shot sooner,'" she says.

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People Like Us follows two adults (Banks and Chris Pine) as they discover that they are half-siblings after their father, a successful rock producer, passes away. And that character, who looms over the story without actually being in it, is a familiar one to Phair.

"There are so many broken people in music, but they're doing something beautiful with that brokenness," she says



Connecting musicians

Social media phenomenon. LL

Cool J wants you to make music together (traditional studio optional)

KILLIAN YOUNG

LL Cool J's dream came to fruition last week with the release of his new software, Future Sounds My Connect Studio, a Google Docs-meets-Pro Tools software that allows any two artists in the world to create professional-quality tracks together live.

The rapper said at the software's introductory press conference last week that he wanted to use the Internet to break down the walls that had previously made recording music difficult. Traditional studios, he said, cost too much time and money, and digital collaboration was limited to unwieldy back-and-forth emails between him and his producer.
"I want to connect musi-

cians everywhere so there's no limitations, there's no barriers to them connecting with each

A new album

LL Cool J also coyly revealed that he's been working on a new album, some of which will be recorded using My Connect Studio.

it's official," he said with a smile "As a matter of fact. I started on my album, too. It's authentic hip-hop. It's the business."

other," LL Cool J said.

My Connect Studio comes from Boomdizzle — a social media site where musicians can collaborate, rate each other's music and publish tracks to iTunes - which LL Cool J cofounded in 2008. Sony then integrated My Connect Studio as part of its Vaio E14P laptop. The software also interacts with Facebook and uses Microsoft

Cloud hosting.

Would the rapper have used
My Connect Studio as an upand-coming artist?

"There's no way I would let this opportunity pass me by,

"I'm gonna do a little bit of the album on the 'Studio' and make sure that

> you know what I'm saying?" LL Cool J told Metro. "I'd use it for everything it had and try to make the best music I can make, let the chips fall where they may after that."

> However, My Connect Studio is not without its limits. Currently, the software is PC-exclusive and only available through Sony's VAIO laptop, although LL Cool J said that a Mac version of the software was in the making, as well as mobile and tablet forms. Only two art

ists can collaborate in one session at a time, but LL Cool J said that project engineers were working to enable more people

to work together live.

LL Cool J said that the use of the software would be free in the initial release period, and eventually users would either subscribe or utilize a pay-as-you-go alternative by the hour. Sony calls the 12-month subscription (with 10 hours of recording per month) included in the bundle a "\$75 value" on its website.



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Remembering Woody Guthrie

Folk icon. 100 years since his passing, three generations of the artist's descendants touring together

LINDA Laban

Born on July 14, 1912, in Okemah, Oklahoma, Woody Guthrie's centennial returns the folk icon's vox pop spirit to the spotlight as dozens of concerts, festivals and tributes play out through the summer and fall all over the world.

Not surprisingly, Woody's son, Arlo, his grandchildren and great grandchildren have their own travelling Guthrie Family Reunion tour.

"We've only done this once before, and that was years ago," says Woody's granddaughter Sarah Lee from her home in the Berkshires in western Massachusetts, which is where she Occupy Woodfest

Chances are if Woody Guthrie were a young man right now, he wouldn't be at the Occupy sit-ins. He'd be leading them.

 His spirit. "He'd be thrilled to know that people have the guts to stand up for what they believe in," says Sarah Lee Guthrie.

grew up.

"Seventeen of us on one bus and my mom and dad on another. It was one big happy family: a bit different from most family reunions, I'm sure. Now we've got three generations of us touring around, and then we have Woody's spirit, so we've got four generations."

At various places, famous Woody Guthrie fans like Billy Bragg, who performs at a special birthday celebration in Okemah, and Steve Earle, who leads Woody's home base, will join the family in reviving some of his iconic folk paeans.

"There are so many of his songs that still ring true," says Sarah Lee. "You can compare a lot of the old Woody Guthrie songs and they apply to what's going on today. Songs like Pastures of Plenty and I Ain't Got No Home, a lot of those old songs are more important in our lives than they've ever heen."





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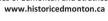
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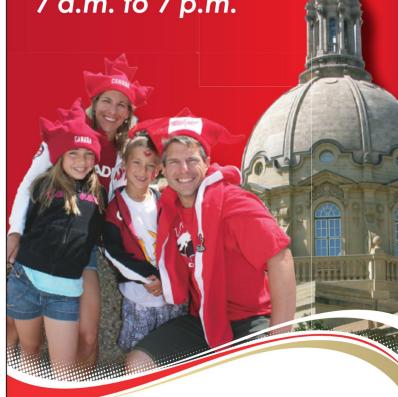






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John Gallagher Jr.: The Newsroom's beating heart

HBO Canada. Aaron Sorkin's journalism-driven dramatic series highlights a hero behind the scenes

T. MICHELLE MURPHY

The Newsroom, now airing on HBO Canada, is primarily tied to two names: Aaron Sorkin, the show's creator, and Jeff Daniels. who stars as Will McA-

voy. Although McAvoy is the lead anchorman on a nightly political talk show, the audience quickly learns that the characters working behind the scenes — like lovelorn senior producer Jim Harper, played by Tony Award-winner John Gallagher Jr. — are its true an-

chors. We spoke to the former Spring Awakening actor after screening the series's first few episodes, which take place in 2010 and 2011.

We love that the show embraces a near-past format that lets you retroactively





elaborate on recent, important news items.

When I first read the pilot, that was one of the things that really grabbed me about the format of the show. It's not five years in the past, and it's not five months in the past, it's just long enough to remind everyone of how fickle the 24-hour news cycle has become. Once the cycle is over, we tend to just forget and move onto the next thing.

You don't have to tell us, we're a daily newspaper! So what else attracted you to the role of Jim Harper?

I'm a big Aaron Sorkin fan. All the characters jumped off the page for me, in particular Jim. When you read a lot of scripts, you rarely find a character that feels so defined and complete. I love how Jim is so good at what he does professionally, he's all in at what he does with his job. And as a result of focusing so much on that, by the time he's reaching his 20s he's basically inept with day-to-day social interactions. He was an embedded reporter — he went to Afghanistan, Iran, Pakistan — but when he comes home and has to ask a girl out, he has no idea what he's doing.

It seems like this show is a good fit for you, considering your stage history. In the first four episodes alone, I counted seven theater references.

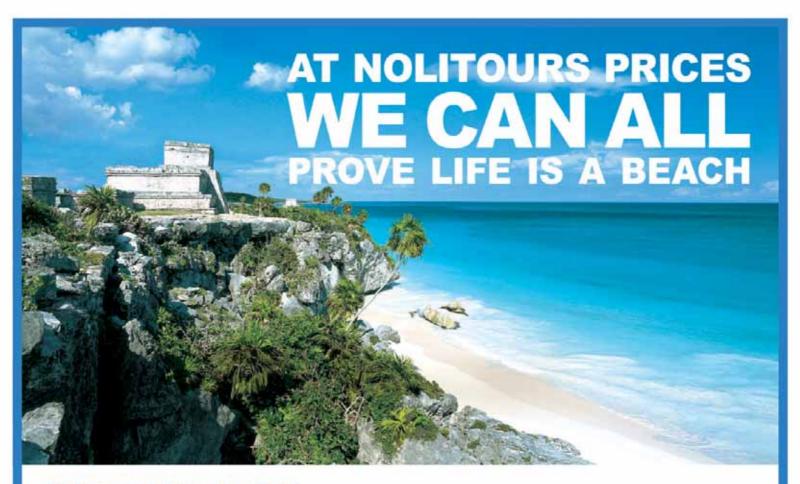
I think Aaron said that there's not a single episode of The Newsroom that doesn't include at least one musical theater reference. There's a pretty funny Evita reference coming up that you'll get to see in a few weeks.

How has it been transitioning from stage to screen?

Aaron's coming from the theater, starting as a playwright, and a lot of the other actors that I get to work with have spent a lot of time onstage and therefore are naturally inclined to create a very good ensemble dynamic — you just play well together. A gentleman who worked backstage on the set said: 'I've been doing this 25 years, and I don't think I've ever seen a cast be so prepared when they show up.' And I said, 'A lot of us do runs of plays where you have to be prepared — you have to go out there and do it without a safety net every single night. So working with actors with a similar background certainly makes it feel more like home. And Aaron is such a theatrical writer, he writes really long scenes for television. One of his staples is very verbose dialogue. Learning those long scenes, it doesn't feel completely unlike learning a long scene for a play.

You also worked with Sorkin's theatrical brand of writing during a one-episode stint on The West Wing many years ago, right?

I did the Season 4 premiere, and I didn't actually get to meet him. The episode shot in Pittsburgh, and I went there for a couple of weeks to shoot. I had never seen an episode of "The West Wing" when I did that; it wasn't until a couple of years later that I sat down with the DVDs.



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Lohan settles 'hostage' suit

Better late than never: Lindsay Lohan has finally reached a settlement for a lawsuit relating to a 2007 reckless driving incident during which she took three men "hostage" while chasing down her assistant, according to TMZ.

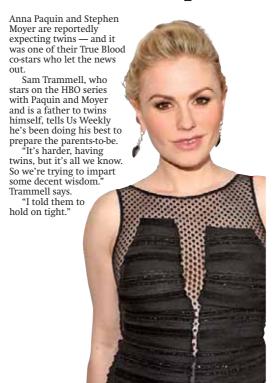
The incident resulted in Lohan's second DUI arrest. On the night in question, the three men arrived at a party in Malibu just as Lohan's assistant quit her job and drove off. Lohan reportedly commandeered the men's car — with them in it — to make chase.

During the chase, the men say Lohan was "hostile," declaring she "didn't care about the risk of death" and saying "she was a celebrity, she could do whatever she wants."

She was later arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol and cocaine.

Lohan has reportedly agreed to pay off the three men, though the sum was undisclosed and a dismissal is expected to be filed soon.

Twins for True Blood couple





METRO DISH

Our take on the World of Celebrities



Kelly Osbourne explains drunk flight

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After sobbing over a pile of cocktails on a recent flight, Kelly Osbourne wants to

Clear things up.
The reality show star
— who has been to rehab
for drugs, but admits to

drinking moderately — tell Radar Online that she had been doing research about multiple sclerosis after her brother's diagnosis and became overwhelmed.

"On the plane I started looking at the website," she tells the site. "It described how bad certain cases of MS got, and it made me lose it."

Kelly, the next time all you have to say is, "I was thousands of feet up in the air in an insane machine that doesn't even have the courtesy to flap its wings." We've had that cry.

Awkward breakup on the Today show

As expected, Ann Curry hosted her last Today show yesterday. After a week of suspiciously cute break-up outfits — don't think we missed those electric blue pumps, Ann — she gave a tearful goodbye to viewers.

While Curry deployed her signature listening-andvery-concerned eyes when Al Roker and Natalie Morales said their parts, things with co-host Matt Lauer were painfully awkward — even by Today show standards.

Despite rumours that Lauer demanded Curry be fired as ratings dropped, he went in for an ill-advised goodbye kiss. which landed somewhere between her wince and her grimace.

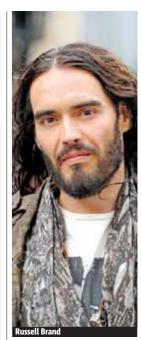
For her part, Curry is doing an impressive job of playing technically nice while still hinting that a hedgehog with an Us Weekly subscription could do Lauer's job.

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"Obviously he's considered the golden boy of morning television," she tells USA Today after discussing her plans to cover women's rights in Suria

women's rights in Syria.

"He's so good when you sit next to him; it's hard not to be helped by that.
He's funny and glib, and he knows how the show



Brand calls for British revolution against Royals

Russell Brand is unimpressed with the British Royal Family and thinks it's time for a change. The recent Diamond Jubilee, celebrating the Queen's 60-year reign, didn't help matters, either.

"People need to have things to celebrate otherwise we realize that we are oppressed and unable to express ourselves freely because we are at the behest of all these corporate entities," Brand says in an interview with Conan O'Brien. "So yeah, have a party to distract us from the fact that we're being tyrannized, why not?"

So what's Brand's solution? "It's time for a bloody revolution," he says. "It only takes one to chop off someone's head."

Spice up your life!

After announcing an upcoming musical featuring their songs, the Spice Girls are auctioning off their iconic outfits for

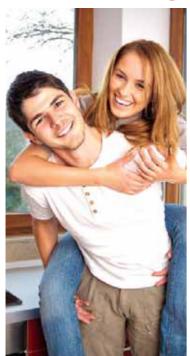
charity.
According to the Daily Mirror, Sporty is handing over some Adidas pants and sports bras, Baby is kicking in a frilly dress and Ginger is parting with her signature Union Jack dress.

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"Security, affordability, convenience and location are all big benefits to owning a condo," says Kathy McCormick, director of communications with the Canadian Home Builders' Association.

McCormick says condo living has become very popular among single women because most condo buildings offer some sort of security, whether it is locks on the entrances of apartment-style condos, to security cameras in and around the property.

Condos also tend to be more affordable. A lot of new homebuyers simply look to what they can afford when getting into the market.

"It is a good place for starters to get into home ownership," says McCormick.

"As prices of real estate go up, buying a condo is much more affordable than a single-family home."

By going with a homebuilder, you will be able to add upgrades to your home to suit your style and budget.

McCormick does suggest making sure to research the condo fees before making any kind of commitment.

"Condo fees will be a factor in your decision. They must fit in your budget," says McCormick.

She warns if they are too low, the builders might not have enough money in their reserve fund in case anything major were to happen.

Too high and you have been priced out of a new home.

For people looking for a more convenient lifestyle, something close to downtown, shopping or even near their place

of work, condos seem to be a popular choice, according to McCormick.

Condo living is even ideal for snowbirds, those who like to spend their summers in Canada and their winters in warmer destinations.

"It is kind of a lock it and leave it situation," says McCormick.

McCormick adds that buying from a builder means your new condo will be covered under some sort of warranty.

She does recommend checking into each builder to see what type of service program they offer for homeowners after they have purchased their new home.

Researching builders is always a good idea. Take the time to find one that matches what you are looking for in a home and is easy to work with.

For more tips and information on buying from a builder, visit the Canadian Home Builders' Association of Alberta website at chbaalberta.ca.

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CHRISTENSON GROUP OF COMPANIES FOCUSES ON CREATING SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES

Focused on creating a community where retirees can live and younger people can work, Christenson Group of Companies is building better homes and communities and, therefore, better lives for their residents.

By building and creating sustainable communities, Christenson Developments is able to revolutionize the way homebuyers see their communities.

"Our emphasis is on building for four generations in a community," says Greg Christenson, president and co-owner of Christenson Group of Companies.

"It is about planning for the future as our society ages."

The Christenson Group focuses on

three pillars of sustainability: Social; economic; and environment.

"The developments must meet the test of all three of these conditions to truly contribute to the community on a meaningful way," says Bard Golightly, chief operating officer with Christenson Developments.

Through these communities, Southwoods, Emerald Hills Urban Village and Centre in the Park, they want to attract a much-needed stable, family-based workforce to live affordably near their active adult and retirement communities.

These dense urban villages reduce the need for cars and begin to decrease urban sprawl in Edmonton.

Christenson's Southwoods Village project in Hazeldean, which will support the revitalization of 236 existing townhomes and 264 new seniors apartment units, has received a municipal and provincial affordable housing grant for more than \$1 million to reduce rents 25 per cent for 32 working families, which could include Christenson Communities' own care staff living within walking distance of the

An additional \$1.2-million grant will come from the federal government to build a new prototype for a gas-fired electrical cogeneration heating system, which creates power and excess heat that will be stored in geothermal bore holes, thereby

reducing utility costs for both the working families and the seniors.

A new storm sewer system will treat stored rainwater, and use it as grey water for toilets.

Christenson Developments looks to situate these communities in close proximity to transit, retail shops and services and existing community amenities.

This contributes to housing affordability; walkable communities that improve personal well-being and creates long-term value for the community.

For more information about the Christenson Group of Companies and their sustainable communities initiative, visit cdlhomes.com.

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URBAN VILLAGES PUT YOU RIGHT NEXT DOOR TO AMENITIES

Step outside your door into a world of shopping, restaurants, grocery stores and coffee shops.

By creating urban villages, Christenson Group of Companies is putting homeowners right next door to "day-to-day" amenities.

"The attraction to our clients is the opportunity to live, work and play in a safe, active and inclusive community," says Bard Golightly, chief operating officer with Christenson Developments.

The urban village is a comprehensive development that includes various forms of housing, often ranging from low-density housing to high-density multi-family housing, seniors' housing and supportive and assisted-living housing with care.

"This creates an environment where our

clients can easily take care of their daily needs and free up their time to enjoy their children and grandchildren in a safe, comfortable community," says Golightly.

"This is combined with appropriate retail and commercial uses that support the residents of the urban village and the surrounding community."

These types of communities offer residents easier access to transit and cut down the use of cars.

"We work hard to construct high-quality buildings that are resource-efficient, and they are located close to transit and services," says Golightly. "Therefore, cost of living can be reduced in terms of transportation expenses, utility expenses, lower maintenance, and time saving."

According to Golightly, seniors can greatly benefit from an urban village, as it creates many opportunities for supportive services and health-care related needs, which can be accessed easily, or delivered, to their home.

Also, an urban village provides the

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"Our villages are situated in locations close to amenities and services desired by an adult-oriented clientele," says Bard Golightly, chief operating officer with Christenson Developments. "Convenient access to shops and services, and recreation and learning activities can greatly increase quality of life."

It is more than just location with these homes, but also a convenient, maintenance-free lifestyle that many adults crave

"The opportunity to 'turn the key' and travel knowing that the home will be looked after is of great comfort to many," says Golightly.

Villa bungalow homes and estate condominium apartments are built to BuiltGreen gold standards to reduce long-term utility costs.

Check it out at cdlhomes.com.

"framework" to create social connections and develop relationships with their peers in a welcoming "spontaneous" way.

Three urban villages have already been developed at Railtown in downtown Edmonton, Devonshire Village in southwest Edmonton, and Citadel Village in St. Albert.

Christenson Group of Companies is currently working on four urban villages in

Edmonton: Glastonbury Village in west Edmonton; Southwoods Village in Hazeldean; Centre in the Park in Sherwood Park; and Emerald Hills Urban Village, Sherwood

Plans for an urban village on 105th Avenue in the downtown core are in the works.

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MAXX URBAN CONDOS WILL TRANSFORM THE ARENA DISTRICT

The new arena district in Edmonton has been surrounded with its share of controversy, but now it will be surrounded with beautiful new homes.

MAXX Urban Condos was one of the first new condo projects to pioneer this new area.

"Someone had to be first, and we believe the area will be a thriving residential area in the very near future," says Brent Bommes, MAXX sales manager.

"Change only happens when people embrace it, and are willing to be the first to change. Then others follow."

Buyers in this area can expect to see astounding transformations take place over the next few years.

Plans are in place to have sections of the avenue be changed to pedestrian

walking areas and closed to motorized transportation. Powerlines will be moved underground and new wider sidewalks and curbs will be in place.

"The primary focus is to transform the corridor into a more residential area with more walkability, green spaces, modern residential architecture, restaurants and shops," says Bommes.

Homeowners can also watch their property values transform as the revitalization nears completion.

"The upside is that values in the area will soar once the changes take place," says Bommes. "Initially, buyers can expect better pricing and the benefits of appreciating property values as the area transforms, they can also expect to be close to all major amenities (with more to come) and

close to LRT and other public transporta-

Some of the amenities include a grocery store, banking and restaurants within walking distance.

And once the completion of the new arena is complete, owners of these homes will be just steps away from some of the best entertainment Edmonton has to offer.

The MAXX Project is a part of BCM Developments, a trusted developer in Edmonton for many years.

"They have been developing in the Edmonton area for more than 20 years and are a leader in construction innovation. Their main focus is constant improvement in every project they build," says Bommes.

For more information about the MAXX Project, visit livemaxx.ca.

EXPECT LUXURY AT MAXX PROJECT

It's time to get into a new condo in what will be the hottest and most sought-after area in the city of Edmonton.

The MAXX Project on 105th Avenue is now selling homes in the upcoming arena district.

"There is something for most every budget and size requirements," says Brent Bommes, MAXX sales manager.

Whether you are looking for a one bedroom or two, there is something for you at the MAXX Urban Condos.

One-bedroom and den suites start from 841 square feet; two-bedroom suites and even two-plus-den suites all the way up to 1,668 square feet are now available.

Buyers can also expect the luxury of having underground heated parking, two full bathrooms in every suite, central air conditioning, quartz countertops, ninefoot ceilings and low condo fees.,

For more information about the size of suites available, or the suites themselves, visit livemaxx.ca.

ALL-STAR CONSTRUCTION

For some builders, it is all about the quality of the building versus the quantity of buildings. For BCM Developments, developers of MAXX Urban Condos, there was no debate between building with wood, or spending the extra money to get a better product with steel and concrete.

"Steel does not shrink, swell or twist like wood. There is much more precision in using these materials and, therefore, less waste," says Brent Bommes, MAXX sales manager.

Construction on the MAXX Project has taken place with steel and concrete construction, using light gauge steel construction and concrete floor systems. With steel members weighing as much as 60 per cent less than wood members, foundations and seismic loads can be reduced.

With this weight difference, it means easier handling and less stress on foundations, cranes and workers.

It also means straight walls and square corners, so windows and doors will open the way they should.

For BCM Developments, this means they are able to provide customers with a product with superior longevity, sustainable construction, and superior sound proofing, built with non-combustible materials.

"It is really designed not to burn. It is just a safer practice to build with these materials," says Bommes.

Although using steel and concrete increases the cost of construction, it actually produces less construction waste, making it a smarter choice for building in terms of environmental impact.

"Sure, it may cost more money now, but the longevity of the building is better than it would be with wood," says Bommes. "There is a premium you pay for steel, but it is worth it down the road"

For the buyer, using this material may not translate into lower prices immediately, but units will require less maintenance over time and may also result in lower condo fees.

"With a superior thermo and sustainable exterior construction, utilities and maintenance cost are low directly affecting the condo fees," says Claudio Raimondi, general manager of Fortis, Light Gauge Steel.

Homeowners will also see savings when it comes to their home insurance.

"With this type of construction in conjunction with a sprinkler system, insurance generally is lower than wood construction," says Raimondi.

For more information about the MAXX project, visit livemaxx.ca.





ONLY 2 BLOCKS FROM GRANT MacEWAN UNIVERSITY

MAXX lives downtown

From its cool exterior details to gleaming gourmet kitchens, massive windows, high ceilings and oversized balconies everything at MAXX has been done to the max. And, you simply can't help but get excited. This is the destination urbanites have been longing for. A west coast inspired sanctuary of downtown professionals and early adopters that want a home reflecting their aspirations.

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So, think extreme. Its time for you to max out your lifestyle in MAXX. There's nothing like it and at these prices it won't last long.

105th Avenue Redevelopment

MAXX is located in the heart of the 105th Avenue redevelopment. Already, incredible changes have made this area a sought after location and with more exciting changes planned over the next few years, now is the time to move on this. For complete redevelopment details visit the MAXX showsuites or www.livemaxx.ca.



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UNIQUE FEATURES OFFERED AT MIRRA AT POPLAR LAKE

It is a home unlike Edmontonians have ever seen before.

Mirra at Poplar Lake takes classic Georgian-inspired architecture and brings it to townhomes in north Edmonton.

"The homes have a unique look, unlike any other home in the city," says Rebecca Schulte, project sales manager with Park Homes

"The care and detail we have put into the exterior is something new for Edmonton."

After seeing a huge demand for these types of homes at its nearby Brio Project in north Edmonton, Park Homes has redefined its designs and finishes to create these appealing new homes.

"It is definitely a different concept," says Schulte.

One of the major changes made to Mirra is the front entrance of each home.



At Brio and most townhomes in Edmonton, homeowners would enter on the second floor of the home, but in Mirra, residents enter at ground level with a generous flex area to greet them.

"The exterior is just as important as the interior," says Schulte. "These homes have more street presence than most townhomes."

Flower baskets and metal door headers accent the unique architecture on the exterior of the building along 180 Avenue.

To bring such a unique new look to the face of townhomes in Edmonton, Park

Homes brought in an award-winning architect from Vancouver.

At Mirra, the interiors are also as exciting as the exteriors.

Mirra offers more space than Brio, with suites ranging from 1,349 square feet to 1,734 square feet.

Other changes to the layout include moving the laundry area up to the third floor so residents don't have to carry clothes down two flights of stairs.

Like the Brio, Mirra offers many highquality finishes.

Two- and three-bedroom suites are available.

These trendy Georgian style town-homes start at \$279,900 plus GST.

Mirra is located in the north end of Edmonton in the Lakeview District, at 82 Street and 180 Avenue.

Mirra Show Homes are now open at #70 8315 180 Ave.

For questions about the upgrades and options available at Mirra, contact sales manager Rebecca Schulte at 780-232-5205

For more information, visit mirra/parkhomes.ca.

EXCITING EXTRAS

Aside from the stunning Georgianstyle architecture, Mirra at Poplar Lake has a number of exciting features that will have plenty of prospective buyers rushing through the front door.

The homes themselves offer a contemporary open plan main floor, with nine-foot ceilings, dream kitchens with natural stone counters, tile backsplash, and wood veneer cabinets.

Parking will never be a problem with these homes, as they include an attached two-car garage with two remote openers.

Each garage includes hot and cold water taps and a floor drain.

The security features of the homes will give all residents peace of mind, with deadbolt thumb-turn locksets on entry doors, and hard-wired smoke and carbon monoxide detectors.

Owners will also receive coverage with Alberta New Home Warranty and have access to an online homeowners manual.

Upgrades and options are available on these homes, such as an electric fireplace, stainless steel appliances, air conditioning, tile, and engineered hardwood floors.

Speak to the Mirra sales manager for more details and pricing.

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"You get the feel of a single-family home with convenience of condo living," says Brian Paterson, director of Park Homes.

Residents of this townhome community on Poplar Lake will have access to lakeside living with their own private walking trail.

Big city living is also within reach at these new homes.

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With easy access to 97th Street, downtown is also only a short drive away.

This quiet community is perfect for families, with schools nearby and easy access to transit.

Restaurants, grocery stores, shopping and coffee shops are also just a five-



minute drive away.

Mirra is located just a few blocks north from Park Homes' other successful townhome project, Brio.

Coming off a huge success with the Brio project, Mirra is possibly the most exciting new development to come from Park Homes.

With Brio having sold out quickly, Mirra is looking to follow Brio's success, if not exceed it.

These townhomes really fit any lifestyle, according to Rebecca Schulte, project sales manager with Park Homes.

"In Brio, it was really a mixed group of buyers," says Schulte. "There were a lot of young professionals, first-time homebuyers, and a lot of people looking to upgrade to a larger home."

Adding that Mirra offers larger and more spacious suites than Brio, these twoand three-bedroom townhomes will feel like a luxury home to buyers.

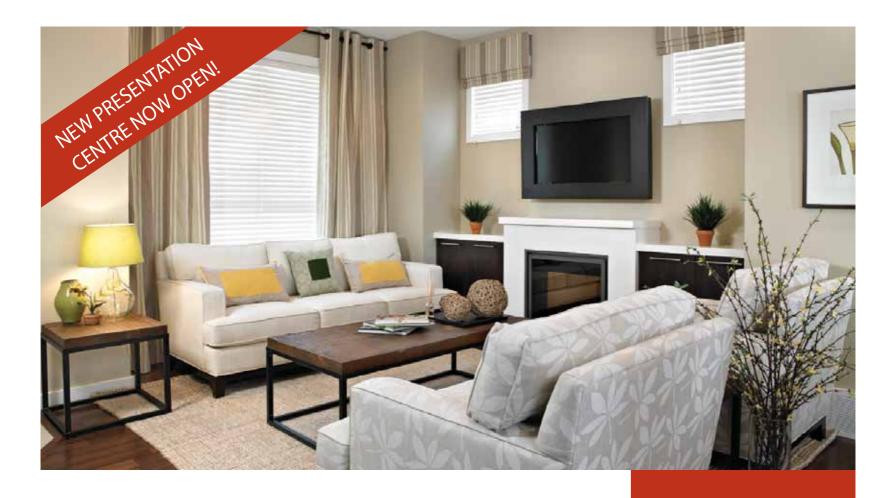
Buyers have the option of choosing to face the serene Poplar Lake, or one of the many green spaces that will be within the community.

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WHAT YOU SHOULD LOOK FOR WHEN CHOOSING A BUILDER

Buying a new home can be both a terrifying and exciting experience all wrapped up into one.

Without having worked with a homebuilder before, it can be difficult to know what to expect from your homebuying experience.

VISIT THE SALES CENTRE. Viewing the builder's website will provide some good information, but there is nothing like meeting with someone face to face and getting a feel for their product up close.

2 ASK QUESTIONS. Don't be afraid to ask your sales representative any questions you may have about your possible new home. It is a life-changing purchase after all.

BE SURE TO RESEARCH YOUR BUILDER.Ask around and find out the builders reputation. Word of mouth can be a powerful tool.



CHECK OUT THE LIST OF AMENITIES NEAR PROSPECTIVE HOMES. Check with the

builders to find out how accessible transit is, distance to schools, shopping and

restaurants. Depending on your lifestyle, some amenities are going to be more important than others.

FIND OUT WHAT YOUR OPTIONS ARE. All sales centres should have a list of upgrades and options available to you. They may even have some samples on hand for you as well

TAKE IT ALL IN. Take your time walking through each sales centre. It will give you a chance to get a better feel for the builder's style and quality of construction. It will also give you time to possibly plan how you would arrange this home if it were yours.

Sales centres are meant to be warm and inviting, where potential buyers can see what builders have to offer and a place where you can ask questions, with out feeling pressured. Buying a home is a big decision, not one that is entered into lightly and the sales representatives at these centres are there to help you make the most informed decision possible.

Once deciding to build with a builder, buyers can have the peace of mind that their new home will be covered under some sort of warranty, although it may differ from builder to builder.

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The Gylytiuk brothers have built their business on family values and want to ensure each customer is treated with fairness, integrity, honesty and knowledge.

"We want to portray to our customers that Bolt Security Systems is a family-run operation with morals and ethics that give them value for their money," says Brian Gylytiuk, vice-president of sales with Bolt Security Systems.

Bolt Security Systems understands that each family is unique and may have different security needs, therefore, they design your home security systems based around your



needs and wants.

Some of the key factors in determining the best security system for your home may include the style and size of your home, the vulnerable points of entry, special circumstances for family members and children, pets, and can include fire, temperature and flood monitoring.

Bolt Security Systems offers a wide range of security products to ensure peace of mind to all homeowners and their families.

Some of these products include keypads, sirens, motion sensors, glass break detectors, panic pendants, cameras, remote video monitoring, smartphone interactive technology, and many more.

For more, visit boltsecurity.net.

Nothing says O Canada like gravy, cheese curds and fries

Poutine. Three Canadian chefs tell us what topping makes it the perfect dish

It's uniquely Canadian and in its purest form consists of three simple ingredients. But chefs are getting a lot more creative with poutine toppings. From bacon, and pulled pork to vegan gravy and mushrooms, if you can dream it, it can probably top your poutine.

The dish originated in rural

claim to be the birthplace of poutine, including Drum-

mondville and Saint-Jean-sur-

Richelieu. One often-cited tale is that of Fernand La-

chance, from Warwick, Que.

who claims that poutine was invented there in 1957 when

une maudite poutine ("it will

make a damn mess"), hence

he exclaimed, "ça va faire

the name.

Quebec in the late 1950s. Several Québécois communities

"I like poutine with smoked meat in it. It substantiates the dish, soaks up some of the juices, keeping the fries a little crispier. Call me biased, but fries, cheese, gravy and smoked chicken makes for a fabulous dish."

David Neinstein of Barque Smokehouse

"Today, poutine can have almost any topping you can think of: Pad Thai Poutine, Butter Chicken Poutine, Braised **Beef Cheeks Poutine** and on and on. I have many favourite additions such as crispy pork belly, sticky beef short ribs and duck confit with green onions."

Stephen Pynn of Bannock

"For me, the perfect topping is an easy choice lobster! As Canadians, we have a few national foods that everyone can identify and are familiar with: poutine and lobster. Why not combine them both? You are taking a classic poutine and adding a serious flavourful kick. That's easily my favourite poutine?

Matt Dean Pettit of Rock Lobster Food Co.





LIQUID ASSETS

Oh, Canada, I remember a day when your wine looked like 50 shades of varnish and tasted almost as bad. We should all be happy that times have changed.

Canada Day is an excellent opportunity to drink to the flag and with family being such a big part of a long weekend, I can't think of a better place to start than Sibling Rivalry from Ontario's Henry of Pelham. The 2010 VQA Red

(\$13.95 - \$15.99) is a soothing blend of merlot, cabernet franc and cabernet sauvignon with plump berry fruit and upfront oak that's made for grilled meats. Meanwhile, the 2010 VQA White (\$13.95 -\$15.99) is a hip mix of riesling, chardonnay and gewürztraminer that's a sexy, seafood friendly combo of citrus and flowing aromatics.

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Readers' Choice

What is your ideal topping?

We asked Twitter: There's cheese curds and gravy, but what extra ingredients would you add to poutine to make it spectacular?

- @Metrick_System: Shawarma poutine?
- @bertiec1: BACON.
- @Roxxanao: salsa, guacamole and sour cream! Mmm #TexMex #poutine
- @ Shereen: Hot sauce #poutine
- @AdamWeitner: anything more just ruins it in my opinion. More is not always better!
- @chinxman Of course...

METRO



Smokehouse. Neinstein's version boasts chicken



- **1.** Place cut potatoes in bowl and let water run over them for 10 mins. In the meantime, preheat oil to 350 F using candy thermometre. Preheat oven on broiler function.
- 2. Strain fries and pat dry. Fry potatoes in two batches 4 min-utes at a time. Let the oil heat up between batches. Place fries on paper towel to cool.
- **3.** While fries are cooling, follow demi-glace instructions to make gravy and add a tablespoon of chopped thyme to finished product.
- 4. Pull meat from chicken, discarding the skin.
- **5.** Fry potatoes second time, also in two batches, at 360 F until golden brown, about 3 to

- 4 minutes. Place fries on paper towel to cool, season liberally with salt and paprika.
- **6.** Place fries in heat-proof dish, sprinkle pulled chicken, then dot with cheese curds and place in oven 3 minutes, watching that it does not burn. Remove from oven and top with gravy. RECIPE COURTESY OF DAVID NEINSTEIN

- 2 russet potatoes, cleaned and cut into 3/8 inch sticks
- · 3 litres vegetable oil
- Package powdered demi-
- Thyme, salt and paprika, to
- 2 smoked chicken thighs
- 8 oz package cheese curds

Pynn's stuffed vision

- 1. Sauté onion and celery in the butter until soft. Mix with other stuffing ingredients and stuff a chicken. Roast chicken for 35-45 mins. at 325 F.
- 2. After letting cool and stripping chicken of meat, roast bones at 425 F until well browned, approximately 30 mins. Turn heat down to 325 F and add garlic, celery, onion and herbs and cook for 15 mins
- 3. In a sauce pot melt butter and add flour, stirring the whole while over a low heat. Slowly add 1 1/2 litres of stock and continue to stir. Add all remaining ingredients (but pepper, vinegar, curds and fries) and contents of
- 4. Bring to a simmer and cook for 20 min or until desired consistency is reached. Thin with remaining stock if required. Add cracked pepper and splash sherry vinegar.
- 5. When ready to dress poutine, crisp some stuffing in a non-stick pan. Then, add fries, cheese curds, stuffing and piping hot gravy in stainless steel bowl that will allow curds to melt with gravy. Top off with more stuffing.

RECIPE COURTESY OF STEPHEN PYNN



Stuffing

- 1/4 cup each diced onion and celery
- 1/3 cup diced butter
- 3 cups bread crumbs
- 1 1 1/2 tsp dried savory
- salt and pepper to taste
- · whole chicken
- Chicken bones from chicken (including skin and wing tips)
 • 1/4 cup sliced celery

- 1/2 a head of garlic
- 1/4 cup sliced onion
- 5 sprigs thyme
- 2 sprigs rosemary
- 2 bay leaves
- 1 tbsp black peppercorns
- 1/2 lb butter
- 1/2 lb flour · 2 litres chicken stock
- Cracked black pepper
- Splash sherry vinegar · Cheese curds
- French fries

On the web



SPORTS

Cvclina

"I was unsettled by the story, but when I read it in the paper ... I realized there was nothing in it."

Europcar manager Jean-Rene Bernaudeau, who said he is stunned by the doping investigation opened by French prosecutors into allegations of improper use of a controlled corticoid by his riders during last year's Tour de France. This year's Tour begins Saturday.

"My team has always been committed to protect the health of its riders."

Jean-Rene Bernaudeau

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On the web



After Middleweight title-holder Anderson silva promised to break his challenger's legs, the UFC was quick to espond — with a press release to make sure eryone was aware of ne outburst. Scan the code for the story.

Time to kick off



A tumultuous CFL off-season is over and a historic campaign is about to kick off. Let's take a quick look at how the teams stack up in the chase for the 100th Grey Cup championship Nov. 25 in Toronto. PHOTOS: THE CANADIAN PRESS

Toronto Argos

The addition of QB Ricky Ray is supposed to spark the Double Blue to a hometown Grev Cup

Under the guidance of new head coach Scott Milanovich, the former Montreal offensive co-ordinator, the Argos offence should be better than in recent years. The addition of former Calgary defensive co-ordinator Chris Jones, whose pressure schemes were



B.C. Lions

Defending Grey Cup champs lost head coach

Wally Buono to the front

office in the off-season,

but replacement Mike

Benevides should make

a smooth transition fill-

ing the legend's shoes.

defensive mainstays

mon Elimimian and

DT Aaron Hunt. The champs are unlikely to repeat.

DL Brent Johnson, CB

Davis Sanchez, LB Solo-

The Lions also lost



Hamilton **Tiger-Cats**

The addition of QB Henry Burris, reunited with head coach George Cortez, made Steeltown headlines in the offseason. The signing of SB Andy Fantuz to a fleetfooted receiving corps suggests the Tabbies could contend for the cup. The Cats have question marks on defence, but may have enough talent to earn a ticket to Toronto in November.

Calgary

Stampeders

The Stamps experienced

significant upheaval over

make major changes to the

younger and quicker.
The Stamps dealt former

CFL most-outstanding player QB Henry Burris, and

the winter, choosing to

roster in an effort to get

released both RB Joffrey

Reynolds and WR Ken-Yon

Rambo. Key will be the emergence of new starting

the No. 1

role late

last

sea-

pivot Drew Tate, who as-

Winnipeg Blue Bombers

The team with the longest Grey Cup drought faltered in the big game last November, the final clash for DT Doug Brown, who retired and now wears makeup on TSN.

The Bombers might be the deepest team at QB this season with Buck Pierce, Alex Brink and Joey Elliot. Construction delays with their new stadium the Bombers to the season with four road games. They could find themselves in an early hole.

Edmonton

Eskimos

Fans are fuming over the

trade of QB Ricky Ray to

long to find out whether

Jyles can find a home in

Edmonton.

Toronto, and it won't take

well-travelled pivot Steven

The move opened up cap space for the Esks, but that doesn't matter if Jyles

falls on his face wearing

expectations, but little

Green and Gold. Edmonton

fans have always had great



Montreal **Alouettes**

The Als' defence was crushed in the East final last fall, forcing significant changes in the offseason.

Montreal brought in new D co-ordinator Jeff Reinebold, who will likely implement a 3-4 defence. QB Anthony Calvillo, who enters his 19th CFL season and turns 40 this year, will again have to answer doubters who feel his career is coming to an end.

The NHL salary cap is going up, allowing teams to spend about \$6 million US more on players this season.

Salary cap inflates

to \$70.2M US

NHL

Crosby, Penguins

agree on extension Sidney Crosby is poised to

sign a megadeal with the Pittsburgh Penguins.

The team has agreed to a 12-year contract extension with the Penguins captain worth \$104.4 million US.

Crosby can't sign the

new contract until Sunday

when the window opens

for player signings.

Crosby is entering the

final year of a five-year con-

tract that carries an annual

cap hit of \$8.7 million. The new deal will also

average \$8.7 million per

season. THE CANADIAN PRESS

NHL

Before opening labour talks, the league and the NHL Players' Association announced the cap has been set at \$70.2 million. That's a significant jump from last year's cap of \$64.3 million.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

season, the Riders not only brought in new head coach Corey Chamblin but also gutted much of their 2011 roster.



Saskatchewan **Roughriders**

After just five wins last

Now Chamblin has to hope QB Darian Durant, whose numbers slipped last season, can regain his form behind an improved O-line and the return of trustworthy WR Rob



Wimbledon 100th-ranked

player upsets Nadal Rafael Nadal made his earliest Grand Slam exit

since 2005 when he was overpowered Thursday by big-serving Lukas Rosol 6-7 (9), 6-4, 6-4, 2-6, 6-4 in the second round at Wimbledon. Rosol, a 26-year-old Czech ranked No. 100, earned the biggest win of his career playing in Wimbledon's main draw for the first time. He lost each of the past five years in the first round of qualify-



Euro 2012. Young striker nets two goals as Italians remain unbeaten against Germans in major soccer tournaments

Mario Balotelli finally showed some quality finishing, scoring twice in the first half Thursday to give Italy a 2-1 win over Germany and an unexpected spot in the European Championship final.

Extending its winless



streak against Italy in major tournaments to eight matches, Germany had no answer for Balotelli nor Antonio Cassano's creativity.

In the 20th minute. Balotelli had no trouble getting past Holger Badstuber to head in a pinpoint cross from Cassano. Then in the 36th, the 21-year-old striker received the ball behind the defence and blasted a long shot into the top right corner.

Germany failed to trouble Italy for much of the match, but Mesut Ozil scored a consolation penalty in injury time after Federico Balzaretti was whistled for a handball.

Germany had entered the game on a world record 15-match winning streak in

competitive matches.

Italy will face defending champion Spain in Sunday's final. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

AMERICAN LEAGUE

EAST DIVISION				
	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	46	28	.622	-
Baltimore	41	33	.554	5
Boston	40	35	.533	61/
Tampa Bay	40			
Toronto	38	37	.507	81/
CENTRAL DIVISION				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Chicago	40	35	.533	-
Cleveland	37	37	.500	21/
Detroit	36	39	.480	4
Kansas City	34	39	.466	5
Minnesota	30	44	.405	91/:
WEST DIVISION				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Texas	47	29	.618	-
Los Angeles	42	33	.560	41/
	37	39	.487	10
Oakland)/			

Chicago White Sox at N.Y. Yankees Cleveland at Baltimore L.A. Angels at Toronto Detroit at Tampa Bay Oakland at Texas

Wednesday's results
Boston 10 Toronto 4
Chicago White Sox 12 Minnesota 5 Kansas City 5 Tampa Bay 4 L.A. Angels 13 Baltimore 1 N.Y. Yankees 5 Cleveland 4 Oakland 2 Seattle 1

Oakland 2 Seattle 1 Texas 13 Detroit 9 Friday's games — All Times Eastern Chicago White Sox (Quintana 2-1) at N.Y.

Yankees (Warren 0-0), 7:05 n m Yankees (Warren 0-0), 7:05 p.m. Cleveland (D.Lowe 7-6) at Baltimore (Arrieta 3-9), 7:05 p.m. L.A. Angels (E.Santana 4-8) at Toronto (Villanueva 2-0), 7:07 p.m. Detroit (Verlander 8-4) at Tampa Bay (Price

10-4), 7:10 p.m. Oakland (Griffin 0-0) at Texas (M.Harrison 10-3), 8:05 p.m. Kansas City (Mendoza 2-4) at Minnesota

(Duensing 1-3), 8:10 p.m. Boston (A.Cook 1-1) at Seattle (Noesi 2-9),

BASKETBALL

WOMEN'S OLYMPIC QUALIFYING

At Ankara, Turkey

PRELIMINARY ROUND

Wednesday's results Croatia 83 South Korea 75 Japan 79 Puerto Rico 70 Czech Republic 68 Argentina 54 France 87 Mali 33

End of Preliminary Round Friday's games — All Times Eastern

OUARTER-FINALS

(winners clinch berth to London games; losers to weekend playoffs for final position) Croatia vs. **Canada**, 7:30 a.m. Czech Republic vs. Japan, 9:45 a.m. Argentina vs. Turkey, 12 noon France vs. South Korea, 2:15 p.m.

Saturday's games — Semifinals

Losers QF1 vs. QF3, TBA Losers OF2 vs. OF4, TBA

Sunday's game (winner earns final berth

Semifinal Winners, 11 a.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

FAST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Washington	43	31	.581	-
Atlanta	40	34	.541	3
New York	40	36	.526	4
Miami	35	40	.467	81/
Philadelphia	36	42	.462	9
CENTRAL DIVISION				
Cincinnati	41	33	.554	_
Pittsburgh	40	35	.533	11/
St. Louis	40	36	.526	2
Milwaukee	34	41	.453	71/
Houston	32	43	.427	91/
Chicago	26	49	.347	151/
WEST DIVISION				
Los Angeles	43	33	.566	_
San Francisco	43	33	.566	_
Arizona	37	37	.500	5
Colorado	29	46	.387	131/
	27	49	.355	16

Colorado 11 Washington 10 (11 innings) Arizona at Atlanta San Diego at Houston NY Mets at L A Dodgers Cincinnati at San Francisco Wednesday's results Atlanta 6 Arizona 4 Houston 1 San Diego 0

Miami 5 St. Louis 3 Milwaukee 8 Cincinnati 4 N.Y. Mets 17 Chicago Cubs 1 Pittsburgh 11 Philadelphia 7 San Francisco 3 L.A. Dodgers 0

Washington 11 Colorado 5 Friday's Games — All Times Eastern

Houston (B.Norris 5-4) at Chicago Cubs (Maholm 4-6), 2:20 p.m hia (Cl.Lee 0-4) at Miami (Jo.Johnson 4-5), 7:10 p.m.
Washington (Detwiler 4-3) at Atlanta (Delgado

4-8), 7:35 p.m. Arizona (I.Kennedy 5-7) at Milwaukee (Wolf

2-5). 8·10 n m

2-3), 8-10 p.m. San Diego (Marquis 1-3) at Colorado (Francis 0-1), 8:10 p.m. Pittsburgh (Correia 3-6) at St. Louis (Wainwright 6-7), 8:15 p.m. N.Y. Mets (Dickey 11-1) at L.A. Dodgers (Harang

5-4), 10:10 p.m. nati (Leake 2-5) at San Francisco (M.Cain 9-2), 10:15 p.m.

NBA

2012 DRAFT

FIRST ROUND

 New Orleans, Anthony Davis, F, Kentucky;
 Charlotte, Michael Kidd-Gilchrist, F, Kentucky; 3. Washington, Bradley Beal, G, Florida: 4. Cleveland, Dion Waiters, G, Syracuse; 5. Sacramento, Thomas Robinson, F, Kansas; 6. Portland (from Brooklyn), Damian Lillard, G, Weber State: 7. Golden State, Harrison Barnes, G. North Carolina: 8. Toronto, Terrence

Ross, G, Washington; 9. Detroit, Andre Drum-mond, F-C, Connecticut; 10. New Orleans (from Minnesota via L.A. Clippers), Austin

Rivers, G. Duke FIRST OVERALL PICKS

2012 — Anthony Davis, F, New Orleans, Kentucky 2011 — Kyrie Irving, G, Cleveland, Duke 2010 — John Wall, G, Washington, Kentucky

2009 — Blake Griffin, F, L.A. Clippers, Oklahoma 2008 — Derrick Rose, G, Chicago, Memphis 2007 — Greg Oden, C, Portland, Ohio State

2006 - Andrea Bargnani, F, Toronto, Benetton Treviso (Italy)

GOLF

Martin Laird

Charley Hoffman

Gary Woodland

Greg Chalmers William McGirl Brian Harman K.T. Kim

Patrick Cantlay

Bud Cauley

Ryan Moore

Brian Gav

Johnson Wagner

Erik Compton Tom Gillis

Andres Romer Sean O'Hair

Jim Furyk George McNeill D.A. Points

Graham DeLaet

Will Claxtor

Bob Estes Billy Mayfair

Josh Teater

Brian Davis

Kelly Kraft

Hunter Haar

Ricky Barnes Roberto Castro

Bobby Gates Michael Thompsor Boo Weekley Chris Stroud

Cameron Beckman

Tommy Gainey

Adam Scott

Tim Herron

Kyle Reifers

Cameron Tringale

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		Chris Couch	36-40-76
Jimmy Walker	32-36-68	Y.E. Yang	38-38-76
Billy Hurley III Pat Perez	37-32-69	Dicky Pride	37-39-76
	37-32-69	Kevin Stadler	34-42-76
Jason Day	36-33-69	Heath Slocum	39-37-76
Daniel Summerhays	36-34-70	Scott Piercy	39-37-76
Brandt Jobe	35-35-70	Arjun Atwal	40-36-76
Greg Owen	36-34-70	Chris Kirk	38-38-76
Dustin Johnson	35-35-70	Kevin Streelman	40-36-76
Hunter Mahan	36-34-70	Chris DiMarco	37-39-76
Davis Love III	36-34-70	Notah Begay III	40-36-76
Marc Leishman	37-33-70	Sung Kang	35-42-77
Stewart Cink	37-33-70	John Merrick	41-36-77
John Mallinger	36-34-70	Ben Crane	37-40-77
James Driscoll	33-37-70	Spencer Levin	40-37-77
Seung-Yul Noh	35-35-70	J.J. Henry	35-42-77
Charlie Wi	34-36-70	Tom Pernice, Jr.	41-37-78
Nick Watney	37-33-70	Bryce Molder	39-39-78
Charles Howell III	35-35-70	Camilo Villegas	36-42-78
Robert Garrigus	37-33-70	Danny Lee	38-40-78
Vaughn Taylor	36-35-71	Jeff Maggert	38-40-78
Jhonattan Vegas	37-34-71	David Mathis	39-39-78
Angel Cabrera	36-35-71	Michael Bradley	40-39-79
Beau Hossler	36-35-71	Jeff Overton	39-40-79
Harris English	38-33-71	K.J. Choi	40-39-79
Rod Pampling	37-34-71	Lucas Glover	41-39-80
Brendan Steele	35-36-71	Kris Blanks	39-41-80
Ryuji Imada	39-33-72	Nick O'Hern	44-38-82
Brendon Todd	36-36-72	Mark Anderson	44-39-83
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J.B. Holmes	33-39-72	Par 70	
Blake Adams	36-36-72	First Round	
Tiger Woods	36-36-72	Bruce Vaughan	31-33-64
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At Pittsburgh, Pa.	
Par 70	
First Round	
Bruce Vaughan	31-33-64
Fred Funk	33-32-65
Fred Couples	33-33-66
Tom Lehman	30-36-66
Michael Allen	35-31-66
Joe Daley	32-34-66
Greg Norman	34-33-67
Jim Thorpe	34-33-67
Bill Glasson	34-33-67
Steve Pate	36-32-68
Bobby Clampett	35-33-68
Kenny Perry	34-34-68
Rod Spittle	34-34-68
Mark Calcavecchia	32-37-69

Mark Calcavecchia Ted Schulz

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EUROPEAN PGA IRISH OPEN At

Portrush, Northern Ireland

ar 72 (36-36) Jeev Milkha Singh Gregory Bourdy

33-32-65 31-35-66 32-34-66 Mark Foster Matthew Zions Andrew Marshall 31-35-66 34-32-66 Oscar Florer

TENNIS

WIMBLEDON

At London MFN

Singles Second Round
Lukas Rosol, Czech Republic, def. Rafael Nadal (2), Spain, 6-7 (9), 6-4, 6-4, 2-6, 6-4 Andy Murray (4), Britain, def. Ivo Karlovic, Croatia, 7-5, 6-7 (5), 6-2, 7-6 (4). Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (5), France, def. Guillermo Garcia-Lopez, Spain, 6-7 (3), 6-4, 6-1, 6-3. David Ferrer (7), Spain, def. Kenny de Schepper, France, 7-6 (1), 6-2, 6-4.

Juan Martin del Potro (9), Argentina, def. Go Soeda, Japan, 6-2, 6-3, 1-6, 6-4. Mardy Fish (10), U.S., def. James Ward, Britain.

Kayler Malisse, Belgium, def. Gilles Simon (13), France, 6-4, 6-4, 7-6 (5).

Marin Cilic (16), Croatia, def. Lukasz Kubot, Poland, 7-6 (4), 6-2, 6-1.

Fernando Verdasco (17), Spain, def. Grega Zemlja, Slovenia, 7-6 (4), 7-6 (4), 3-6, 6-3. Kei Nishikori (19), Japan, def. Florent Serra, France, 6-3, 7-5, 6-2.

Sam Querrey, U.S., tied with **Milos Raonic** (21), Thornhill, Ont., 6-7 (3), 7-6 (7), 3-3

(susp., darkness).
Benoit Paire, France, def. Alexandr Dolgopolov (22), Ukraine, 7-6 (2), 6-4, 6-4.
Philipp Kohlschreiber (27), Germany, def. Philipp Kohlschreiber (27), Germany, def. Malek Jaziri, Tunisia, 6-1, 7-6 (2), 6-1. Radek Stepanek (28), Czech Republic, def. Benjamin Becker, Germany, 6-2, 7-6 (4), 6-3. Andy Roddick (30), U.S., def. Bjorn Phau, Germany, 6-3, 7-6 (1), 6-3. WOMEN Singles — Second Round Maria Sharapova (1), Russia, def. Tsyetana Piropkova Bulgaria 3-6, (3), 6-7 (3), 6-0

Pironkova, Bulgaria, 7-6 (3), 6-7 (3) 6-0 Victoria Azarenka (2), Belarus, def. Romina Oprandi, Switzerland, 6-2, 6-0. Petra Kvitova (4), Czech Republic, def. Elena Baltacha, Britain, 6-0, 6-4.

Serena Williams (6), U.S., def. Melinda Czink, Hungary, 6-1, 6-4

Angelique Kerber (8), Germany, def. Ekater Makarova, Russia, 7-5, 6-3.

Mirjana Lucic, Croatia, def. Marion Bartoli (9),

Sara Errani (10), Italy, def. Anne Keothavong, Britain, 6-1, 6-1

Ana Ivanovic (14), Serbia, def. Kateryna Bondarenko, Ukraine, 6-3, 7-6 (3). Roberta Vinci (21), Italy, def. Marina Erakovic,

New Zealand, 6-4, 6-3. Nadia Petrova (20), Russia, def. Timea Babos,

Hungary, 6-4, 6-7 (3), 9-7.
Julia Goerges (22), Germany, def. Anastasiya Yakimova, Belarus, 7-6 (3), 6-2.
Francesca Schiavone (24), Italy, def. Kristyna

Pliskova, Czech Republic, 6-4, 6-4. Zheng Jie (25), China, def. **Aleksandra Wozniak**,

Blainville, Que., 6-4, 6-2. Anabel Medina Garrigues (26), Spain, vs. Jana Cepelova, Slovakia, 7-6 (7), 6-7 (5)

(susp., darkness).

(susp., darkness). Christina McHale (28), U.S., def. Mathilde Johansson, France, 7-5, 7-5. Varvara Lepchenko, U.S., def. Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova (31), Russia, 7-6 (4), 6-4. Yaroslava Shvedova, Kazakhstan, def. Kiki Bertens, Netherlands, 6-4, 6-4.

Klara Zakopalova, Czech Republic, def. Olga Govortsova, Belarus, 2-6, 6-1, 6-2. Tamira Paszek, Austria, def. Alize Cornet.

France, 6-2, 6-1.

Yanina Wickmayer, Belgium, def. Galina Voskoboeva, Kazakhstan, 4-6, 6-3, 8-6.

CFL

Seattle

REGULAR SEASON WEEK ONE

All Times Eastern Friday's games Saskatchewan at Hamilton, 7 p.m. Winnipeg at B.C., 10 p.m.

Saturday's game

Toronto at Edmonton, 7 p.m.

Sunday's game Montreal at Calgary, 7 p.m.

SOCCER

EURO 2012 SEMIFINALS

Thursday's result

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At Warsaw, Poland Italy 2 Germany 1 At Donetsk, Ukraine

Portugal 0 Spain 0 (Spain advances 4-2 on penalty kicks)

CHAMPIONSHIP

Sunday's game — All Times Eastern At Kiev, Ukraine Spain vs. Italy, 2:45 p.m.

MLS

EASTERN CONFERENCE

	GP	W	L	Т	GF	GΑ	Pt
New York	16	9	4	3	31	24	30
D.C.	17	9	5	3	31	22	30
Kansas City	15	9	4	2	20	15	29
Chicago	15	7	5	3	20	19	24
Houston	15	5	5	5	20	23	20
Columbus	14	5	5	4	14	15	19
New England	15	5	7	3	20	20	18
Montreal	17	5	9	3	24	29	18
Philadelphia	13	3	8	2	12	15	11
Toronto	14	2	10	2	16	28	8

WESTERN CONFERENCE

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		GP	W	L	Т	GF	GΑ	Pt
	San Jose	16	10	3	3	31	19	33
	Real Salt Lake	17	10	5	2	28	19	32
	Vancouver	16	7	4	5	18	19	26

25 20 19 6 8 2 22 6 8 1 21 5 7 4 11 4 6 5 14 3 9 5 16 Los Angeles Colorado 16 15 23 21 Chivas USA Portland Dallas Wednesday's result Toronto 3 Montreal 0

Friday's game — All Times Eastern

Chicago at Kansas City, 8 p.m. Saturday's games New York at Toronto, 7 p.m. Montreal at D.C. United, 7:30 p.m.

Seattle at New England, 7:30 p.m. Real Salt Lake at Columbus, 8 p.m. Philadelphia at Houston, 8:30 p.m. Portland at Colorado, 9 n m Los Angeles at San Jose, 10 p.m

NASL

	GP	W	L	Т	GF	GA	P
Puerto Rico	12	7	3	2	21	10	2
San Antonio	12	6	2	4	18	12	2
Minnesota	12	5	2	5	18	16	21
Tampa Bay	13	5	5	3	16	18	18
Carolina	13	4	4	5	22	20	1
Fort Lauderdale	13	4	5	4	17	20	10
Edmonton	12	3	7	2	12	15	1
Atlanta	13	1	7	5	14	27	- 1

Saturday's games — All Times Eastern Carolina at Fort Lauderdale, 7:30 p.m. Minnesota at Tampa Bay, 7:30 p.m. Atlanta at San Antonio, 8:45 p.m. Sunday's game Puerto Rico at Edmonton, 4 p.m.

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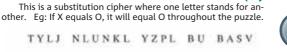
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How to play

Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

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VZSK RKSNNLAM 7 Yesterday's Cryptoquip: THE CARPENTER DIDN'T PUT ENOUGH STAMPS ON THE PACKAGE, SO IT GOT MARKED "RETURN TO SANDER."

Today's Cryptoquip Clue: N equals P



For today's crossword answers and for expanded horoscopes, go to metronews.ca



SATURDAY



TODAY

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MICHELE MCDOUGALL WEATHER SPECIALIST

". WEEKDAYS 5:30 AM

T Aries | March 21 - April 20.

Being a can-do Aries, you always be lieve that nothing is beyond you but don't fall into the trap of thinking

that success will come easy. Taurus | April 21 - May 21.

This may be a difficult 24 hours for you but you can make things easier for yourself by not thinking and actas if you are a victim.

II Gemini | May 22 - June 20.

Times are good and about to get even better, and those who say otherwise are either too shortsighted to see the truth or enjoy talking you down.

Cancer | June 21 - July 22.

The Sun in your sign at odds with Pluto today means you're going to have to choose between two vastly different options. Choose the one with which you're most comfortable.

Leo | July 23 - Aug. 22. There may be times you don't take life too seriously but today even the smallest issue will be expanded in your eyes

orld-shattering importance. **W Virgo | Aug. 23 - Sept. 22.**

You may be a stickler for the rules but today take whatever shortcuts you can to get from where you are to where you need to be.

You will have to trust someone's judgment and let them take the lead role in whatever task you are jointly involved. Don't try to offer advice watch closely and learn.

M Scorpio | Oct. 23 - Nov. 21.

Can you change the habits of a life-time? You'll find out today as Pluto, your ruler, is opposed by the Sun, forcing you to adapt to situations you know little if anything about.

⁷ Sagittarius | Nov. 22 - Dec.

21. Be assertive today and make sure you get what you believe you deserve. If it results in a fight, well, at's how it is sometimes

Capricorn | Dec. 22 - Jan 20.

Make sure you are on top of the facts today because if you are not, you may make a serious error. However, once you do have all the facts, make your decision and stick with it.

.... Aquarius | Jan. 21 - Feb 18.

This may be an exciting time for you but today's Sun-Pluto link urges you not to take risks that can, with a bit resight, be easily avoided.

of foresight, be easily avoided. Pisces | Feb. 19 - March 20.

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